

The extremes in local temperatures today were: High, 33; low, 18.

LYRIC

TONIGHT AND TOMORROW



ADOLPH ZUKOR
PRESENTS

BILLIE BURKE

(By Arrangement with F. Ziegfeld, Jr.)

'The Frisky Mrs. Johnson'

From The Play By Clyde Fitch

Directed by Edward Dillon—Scenario by Lawrence McCloskey

Also A New Arbuckle Comedy



**Fatty
ARBUCKLE**

—IN—

THE GARAGE

First Time Shown In This City

Universal Employees Banqueted

Employees of the Universal Motor Company and a few invited friends enjoyed a splendid get-together meeting and banquet Thursday evening at the company's salesroom, Ninth and Chillicothe streets. The menu was thoughtfully prepared by Mr. and Mrs. William Hill.

Orson H. Ogier presided as toastmaster. Talks were made by President J. P. Taylor, who had for his theme "Sales and Service"; Office Manager Paul Waller who spoke on "Office Efficiency"; Service Manager Warren J. Wartz. Readings were given by Mrs. J. P. Taylor and Miss Margaret Thibbs.

Those present at this first "get-together," which was no doubt the forerunner of bigger and better meetings, were:

W. J. Hartz, Service Manager; Clark Walter, Battery Service; Mart

Newman Stock Manager; Ray Searies, Salesman; J. Wash Millman, Salesman; Ernest Berry, Salesman; Orson H. Ogier, Salesman; Chas. D. Hager, Salesman; Harry Wallis, Treasurer; Salesman; Paul V. Waller, Office Manager; Lola Cornette, Stenographer; J. F. Taylor, Manager; Earl Malone, Mechanic; Earl Spriggs, Mechanic; Carl Spriggs, Mechanic; Harry Smith, Mechanic; P. E. Lust, Mechanic; Denver Young, Mechanic; Clarence Fidler, Mechanic; Herbert Myers, Mechanic; Roger Hawkins, Mechanic; George Jackson, Mechanic; Wm. Hughes, Stock Clerk; Roy Weaver, Stock Clerk; Wm. S. Hollenbeck, Portsmouth Auto Supply Co.; M. W. Wilson, Ford Motor Co.; Cincinnati; Mrs. J. P. Taylor, Miss Helen Taylor.

Marriage License
Alfred Cates, 35, stone worker; McDermott and Velox Strickland, 17, housekeeper; McDermott.

TO OBSERVE SPRING DRESS UP WEEK

PENNINGTON PLEADS GUILTY

James C. Pennington, 304 Kendall avenue, young man employed as a machinist's helper at the N. & W. shops, who was arrested Thursday night by railroad officers in connection with the theft of tools and other property belonging to the railroad company, pleaded guilty to a charge of

larceny when arraigned in Municipal court Friday and Judge Small ordered him held under \$500 bond for grand jury action.

The complaint against the young man charged him with carrying away property valued at \$76.68.

Pennington was acquitted a few months ago by a jury in Common Pleas court of a charge of stealing an automobile from this city. He admitted taking the car and for a defense claimed that his car and the one he took were so near alike that it was simply a mistake.

At a meeting of the Retail Merchants Committee of the Chamber of Commerce Thursday afternoon it was decided that Spring Dress-Up Week would be observed just before Easter this year. The members of the committee are to call on various merchants this week and to get suggestions as to when the best possible time would be to hold Dress-Up Week.

James Distel is chairman of the Retail Merchants Committee which includes representatives from all lines of the retail business.

Heretofore, three prizes have been awarded for special window displays but this year it is planned to give more prizes so more lines of business may be represented in the prize winners.

The committee at its meeting next week will decide on the dates for Spring Dress-Up week.

Women Defeat Proposal To Throw Full Support For Disarmament

(BULLETIN)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 18.—The national woman's party was disbanded in convention here today. A new organization to continue efforts to secure full political and citizenship rights for women was authorized by the convention.

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 18.—A proposal that the national woman's party throw its full support to the fight for world disarmament, contained in a minority report was overwhelmingly defeated at the organization's convention here today after a sharp debate. The convention then took up the majority report of the resolutions committee specifying a straight-out feminist program for the future.

The majority report brought in by Mrs. A. R. Colvin, of St. Paul, the committee chairman, recommended that the national woman's party "having accomplished the object for which it was created, now disband; that a new organization be created; that immediate work of the new organization be the removal of the political disabilities of women."

The report also urged delegates to concentrate themselves to see that political freedom should not be lost in any association of nations that may be established and to work for the absolute equality of men and women.

Mrs. G. G. Scott presented the minority report and Mrs. Harriet Brown, of Iowa, opened the debate under the five minute rule, urging its adoption.

"Unless you adopt it and go forward quickly," she declared "you have nothing else but purely feminist programs for the rest of your lives but there will be none but women left on earth. All of the world prepares for war with poison gas, germs, battleships and armies. And that next war they talk about is coming soon unless you women prevent it. You go a long way towards preventing it if simply pass resolutions giving notice of your intention to defeat in the next elections all congressmen who will not pledge themselves to disarmament."

"You women who have never borne a child, who have never lost a child, what do you mean by telling us who have, that the question of disarmament is not a feminist question?"

PRETTIEST GIRL AT SUFFRAGE OFFICES



Miss Bertha May Graff.

Miss Bertha May Graff has been chosen as the prettiest girl at the suffrage headquarters in Washington, D. C., and will be flower girl at the convention of the National Woman's party February 15-18.

Formal Complaint Against Judge Landis

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 18.—Formal complaint against Federal Judge Landis, of Chicago, for his remarks in the case of an Ottawa Illinois, bank clerk, charged with embezzlement is made in a letter sent to the department of justice today by Senator Dial, Democrat, South Carolina.

The letter was not made public, but

was understood to have objected particularly to Judge Landis' statement that the bank directors were directly responsible for the clerk's theft, because they allowed him a salary of only \$30 a month. Senator Dial has contended that such a remark from the bench would tend to increase crime.

Home Rule For Egypt Favored

LONDON, February 18.—(By the Associated Press).—Negotiations with the Egyptian government for the conclusion of a treaty according self-governance to Egypt are strongly advised in a long awaited report by Lord Milner, former colonial secretary on the Egyptian question, presented to parliament today.

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OUR INTEREST

for thirty-one years in the financial progress of many citizens in this community is a big factor assuring to you, if you carry your Savings Account in THE ROYAL, the kind of service that you require in building up a reserve fund.

In THE ROYAL the service which is rendered to you is not determined by the size of your account—we welcome a depositor whose account amounts to only a few dollars just as cordially as we do customers who deposit large sums. Our service is always influenced by our desire to be helpful to those who are saving to build a fund for the future, to pay for a home or for any other worthy purpose. 4 per cent compound interest on deposits from a dollar up.

The Royal Savings & Loan Co.

Royal Savings Building
GALLIA STREET ON THE SQUARE
Business Hours, 8 A. M. to 5 P. M.
Tuesday, 8 A. M. to 3 P. M.
Saturday, 8 A. M. to 12 M.

Dilly Is In Cincy

William (Pickles) Dillhoefer of Cleveland, and who formerly played ball here, is visiting in Cincinnati. It is likely he will visit local friends before joining the St. Louis team for spring practice.

Goes To Florida

Harry Williams, a salesman for the Selly Shoe company, left Thursday for Miami, Florida, where he will spend the balance of the winter. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Williams, have been in Miami for some time.

Covered With Snow

During the past 24 hours a heavy snow has fallen along the N. & W. system as freight trains reaching this city from the East were covered with snow.

Discouraging

It is very discouraging to a thoughtful man to note how the advice of our leading medical scientists is disregarded in this thoughtless, careless, and reckless age, and though we have watched closely ever since this pneumonia for the ill of the flesh was first advocated, we have been disappointed not to see so much as one of our adult female population walking about on all fours.

Of Interest to Women

A London zoologist tried to startle the world by announcing that he had discovered a way to hypnotize lobsters. Ha, ha, hum. Women have been doing this very thing ever since Eve first set eyes on Adam in the Garden of Eden.

Building Is Razed

Work of razing the Holy Redeemer school building at Sixth and Gar streets has been completed and this historical temple of learning is now a memory. The sisters' home on the same lot is being torn down by the new owners, the Pure Oil Company, who will erect a filling station on their newly acquired property.

Is Improving
Miss Mary Mineo of Bond street, who has been quite ill for the past ten days, is improving slowly.

Warrant Is Issued

Alvie Napier swore out a warrant in Municipal court Thursday night for the arrest of Roy Bliss, tax driver, for an alleged assault. Napier claimed that Bliss attacked him at the N. & W. depot following a quarrel.

Visiting Home Folks

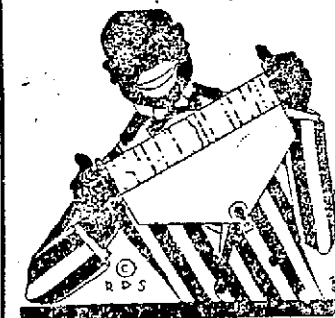
John Smith, N. & W. passenger agent here, is in Cincinnati on a visit to home folks.

City Briefs

John Carroll, Second street wallpaper dealer, has a force of men repairing 35 rooms in Acme Hotel in East Portsmouth.

Attorney W. L. Pickers is in Cincinnati on business.

Inspection of the new Mercy Hospital on Kinder's Lane was made Thursday by Mother Leo of Rochester, Minn. It is planned now to open the hospital in May. Work on it is progressing rapidly and Mother Leo expressed herself as being well pleased with the ideal arrangements.



**Special on
Roll Music**

Summers & Son
906 Gallia St.

The National Millinery

306 Chillicothe St.

The first millinery event of the season. Saturday a special purchase sale of

200 New Spring Hats

That usually sell at \$6.75, \$8.50 and \$10.50.

Grey
Pheasant
Copen
Henna
New Blue

\$4.95

Brown
Navy
Cherry
Tangerine
Peach



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Women have seldom seen as great an assortment of smart hats at this one feature price. At the start of a new season.

Some models of lizere, smartly trimmed with flowers, fruit, pom poms and ribbons, making charming combinations.

We always will be — "The Cheapest Millinery Store"
The Largest Millinery Stock In Portsmouth.

The National Millinery

306 Chillicothe St.

Harry J. Sheaman

Columbia

Tonight and Tomorrow

The One Girl
in His Life

FROM THAT MOMENT
Lavender knew she loved
Clem. They had bound him
hand and foot. But she
risked everything to win him
and free him. And in that
moment she tied the knot of
love, from which there is no
release.

—A Wonderful Romance

—A Heart-Stirring Ad-
venture

—A Comedy of Youth
and Love

MARY
MILES
MINTER
IN
SWEET
LAVENDER

FROM THE PLAY BY
SIR ARTHUR WING PINERO
SCENARIO BY
BEULAH MARIE DIX
DIRECTED BY
PAUL POWELL



ALSO

Charlie Chaplin in "The Cure"

With Latest "Topics Of The Day"

IRONTON RECTOR AT ALL SAINTS

The usual service will be held at All Saints' church at 7:30 tonight, when the special preacher will be the Rev. G. P. Tung, D.D., D. C. L., rector of Ironton. Previous to ac-

cepting his present charge Dr. Tung served parishes in Maryland, his native state, and West Virginia. You are cordially invited to hear his message.

ROTARY CLUB TO OBSERVE ANNIVERSARY

Observance of anniversary week of International Rotary will commence Sunday next when Rotarians of Portsmouth will attend the evening service at All Saints' church in a body. The address will be delivered by the Rector who is the clerical member of Rotary in this city. The general public are cordially invited to attend.

Building New Water Tank
The C. & O. has a force of men erecting a huge water tank at Concord, Ky., where many trains in the future will secure their water supply.

Pleasantness Demanded.
There is no place in the modern scheme for the man who cannot be pleasant. He is a back number whether he is in the office or the factory, the private business or the city hall.

To Wash Gold Chain.
Put chains in a small bottle with warm water, some pulverized chalk and a bit of grated castile soap. Cork the bottle and shake well, then rinse the chain in cold water and wipe on a towel. Gives a brilliant polish.

Laid Off Temporarily

To keep within the monthly appropriation a number of N. and W. employees were laid off Friday. They probably will resume work in three or four days as N. and W. officials say there is plenty of work in the local shops. The shops will be idle throughout next Tuesday, on account of it being Washington's birthday.

Child Is Burned

Alice, two year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Adams of Eighth street, was painfully burned when she upset a cup of hot coffee on herself Friday morning. A physician alleviated the child's pain.

Autos In Collision

An automobile driven by Terry Davenport, a salesman, who lives on Third street, was damaged considerably in a collision with another machine at Seventh and Chillicothe streets this morning. One of the front wheels on Mr. Davenport's car was smashed. The other machine was only slightly damaged. Mr. Davenport says it bore license tag 477,612.

Phone 426 for Windel Auto-recker. If

Vanceburg Visitor
Dan Hughes of Vanceburg is visiting among his many relatives and friends in this city.

BIRTHS

A son was born Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Rutman of Ashland. The child has been named Richard Moore Rutman. Mrs. Rutman formerly resided on McConnell avenue, this city.

A son was born Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Williams of Thirteenth street. Mr. Williams is a steel worker.

ON THE JOB EVERY DAY

Red-Blooded Men and Women Are
Seldom Sick

WATCH YOUR BLOOD
CONDITION

If You Look Pale, Feel Gloomy
and Run-Down, Take Pepto-
Mangan and Build Up

You see men and women who are never sick. They work hard, look robust, eat heartily and enjoy life. They have plenty of rich, red blood. That is why they are never ill.

People who try to get along with weak, impoverished blood always have a struggle. They go from one sickness to another. Children the same way.

If you keep your blood rich and red you'll enjoy full vigor. Disease has little chance to develop in healthy blood. As soon as you feel run-down take Pepto-Mangan for awhile. It will feed your blood with the ingredients needed to create a good supply of red corpuscles.

Pepto-Mangan is sold in both liquid and tablet form. Take either kind you prefer. They are alike in medicinal value. But be sure you get the genuine Pepto-Mangan—"Gude's." The full name, "Gude's Pepto-Mangan," should be on the package.—adv.

It Has World Beat States Akron Citizen

"My wife and I are great advocates of Tanlac now and call it our family medicine," said J. S. McGinnis, 120 Market St., Akron, well-known employee of the Pennsylvania Railroad.

"My wife and I have both been in bad health for a year or more, suffering from stomach trouble. Every time I ate anything I nearly always wished I hadn't touched a bite, for I would turn almost deathly sick at my stomach and at night I couldn't get any rest hardly, and often had terrible nightmares. Dizzy spells struck me at times and if I couldn't catch hold of something I would topple right over."

"My wife had indigestion so bad she couldn't enjoy a single meal. She had little or no appetite, was all run down, and so weak it would nearly break her down trying to do the housework."

"We started taking Tanlac at the same time and it's a fact, both of us commenced improving so fast it seemed like a race between us to see which one would get well first. We took four bottles each and today we are in the best of health. She can do her housework with ease and looks like a different person. I have the finest kind of an appetite, eat anything I like and feel as spry and healthy as when I was a boy. We are both only too glad to speak a good word for Tanlac. It's got the world beat, that's all."

Tanlac is sold in Portsmouth by the Fisher and Streich Pharmacy and by the leading druggists in every town.—adv.

SCIOTOVILLE AND WHEELERSBURG

Much interest is being shown in the work of the Christian Sunday school and the Men's class is urged to have at least \$50 in attendance Sunday and they want \$300 in the Bible school.

The teachers of the primary department of the M. E. Sunday school met at the home of Belle Hiltchcock last evening and completed arrangements for the nickel social which will be given in the church basement Feb. 22nd in honor of Washington's Birthday. An interesting program has been arranged and a delicious lunch will be served in cafeteria style consisting of ham and pineapple sandwiches, baked beans, potato salad, home-made cake, home-made ice cream, home-made candy, coffee and cocoa.

Mr. and Mrs. John Daniels of Castle Hill are the proud parents of a daughter born Friday.

Mrs. Della Shump and daughters, Jene and Mrs. Henrietta Lacy of Portsmouth spent yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. W. Shump of Martinsburg.

Mrs. Blanche Nordi of Portsmouth spent yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Bowman of Glendale.

The girls of the M. E. church will play volleyball tonight at the church gymnasium beginning at 7:15. All girls who care to play come to the church at that time.

Mrs. Mattie E. Ervin who underwent an operation Monday at Hempstead hospital is reported out of danger. Friends have been constantly at her bedside since the operation.

Mrs. Terry Knight is suffering with a severe cold at her home on Clay street.

Miss Mae Williams of Marion and Miss Ruth Tolliver were the guests yesterday of Miss Naomi Stewart of Clay street.

Mrs. Herbert Arthurs of Portsmouth was the guest yesterday of her parents Mr. and Mrs. George Bender.

Prayer meeting of the M. E. church was held last evening at the home of Mrs. John Deindeck. These meetings will be every Wednesday evening up until Easter.

The Ladies of the M. E. church held an all day quilting in the basement of the church yesterday. They finished the quilt and worked some on the Easter things which will be used for the Easter sale.

Mrs. El Corriel and children of Portsmouth were the guests yesterday of her mother, Mrs. Nancy Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. George Lemon and Miss Clara Emory have arrived home from Florida after a six week's pleasure trip.

The loyal neighbors met last night with a good attendance. One application was balloted upon. Tuesday night the class will have an initiation at Portsmouth and the members here are going there Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Jacob Hiltchcock who has been ill for some time is improving.

Mrs. Leo Nourse of Third street who has been sick is better.

Louis, little son of Charles Ketter, who has been ill is better.

WHEELERSBURG
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Groh who will

leave Monday for Fresno, California, were the dinner guests yesterday of Mr. and Mrs. Will Groh of Nevada.

Reno Ferguson returned home yesterday from a few days visit with relatives at Colegrove.

Miss Freda Wade of Springdale is the guest of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Burns.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hilliard were shopping in Portsmouth yesterday. Large crowds have been attending the M. E. church revival meeting with Rev. H. A. Kirk in charge.

Miss Ruth Anderson is leaving tonight for Jackson where she will visit friends and relatives.

**Deal By
J. E. Hannah**

Through a deal closed Friday, Frank E. Bryan has sold his 150 acre farm on Pine Creek, near Wheelersburg, to M. W. Meadows. The consideration was \$30,000. Mr. Meadows and family will move on the farm. The deal was closed by James E. Hannah of the Masonic Temple.

Receive Applications
At the regular meeting of the Third Fifth Lodge Thursday night several applications were received.

The leading grocers sell St. Nicholas flour—because it is the leader among flours.

**MI-ONA
Ends indigestion**

It relieves stomach misery, sour stomach, belching and all stomach disease or money back. Large box of tablets at all druggists in all towns.

Store Opens

8:30

Closes 5:30

The
Bon Ton

ONLY EXCLUSIVE LADIES SHOP IN PORTSMOUTH
FIFTH AND CHILICOTHE STREETS

Store Closes

8:30

On Saturdays

JUST RECEIVED ANOTHER
SHIPMENT OF NEW

SPRING  STYLES
IN SUITS

YOUR fondest expectations gratified. Your dreams of delightful Springtime Suits come true.

They're here—many of them—each more dainty and lovelier than its sister mode. Come and see. Come and revel in the sunshine of their youthful splendor. Come and thrill with delight at their fascinating beauty and their piquant daintiness for they truly express the very poetry of perfection.

SPRING SUITS OF THE HIGHEST
QUALITY IN

Tricotine Gaberdine Serge

And Checked Velours

Dripple, Boxed And Embroidered Effects

Also Plain Tailored Models

Colors In

Navy Tan Rookie

And Checks In Different Colors

\$19.50 \$29.95 \$35.00

\$45.00 \$62.50

and up to \$85.00

Ideal snappy styles for Easter and spring wear. See them, they are marvels of beauty and value.

Mail Orders Receive
Our Prompt
Attention

The
Bon Ton

ONLY EXCLUSIVE LADIES SHOP IN PORTSMOUTH
FIFTH AND CHILICOTHE STREETS

New Goods

Arriving Daily

Watch Our

Window Display

LAST DAY OF ROSENTHAL'S ANNIVERSARY SALE

Saturday Feb. 19th Have you noticed that merchants are curtailing their advertising while we have used lots of printer's ink lately? The answer is that we are, and have taken cost of doing business is the key of low prices. Chillicothe At 8th St.

To The Public

We wish to thank you for the ready responses to this sale and we feel satisfied that to those who were fortunate enough to patronize this store during this anniversary offering they feel well repaid. Those who did not get here missed their opportunity.

Saturday being the last day we offer values that will never again be repeated.

The Greatest Sale of Waists
ever held in this city will be opened on Saturday at 8:30 a.m.

Beautiful French V-neck Waists in the new styles. Tailored, belted, striped, crepe, satin, striped, silk, pongees and flannels of all kinds, wonderful white tailored waists and the latest styles are to \$5.00. Saturday our last sale day, close at 2:30.

Have you taken advantage of our anniversary sale of house dresses? If not you have and will miss the greatest value ever offered in Portsmouth since the war. There might have been a time when you could and justly so have said "I can buy the goods and make it cheaper", but that day is past. These dresses are positively the greatest value in the country today and the price TODAY only

\$1.25

Silk Hosiery

A Heavy Silk Hose In Black or White The Famous Onyx Brand

Every pair perfect. A hose that was retailed at \$2.50 the pair. And as a fitting climax for the last day. Per pair

\$1.35

Ladies Kid Gloves

In black or tan, imported French kid, all sizes. There are just 90 pairs so we advise early shopping. No fittings. Know your size.

\$1.15

Portsmouth has had many skirt sales in the past and there may be many in the future but the skirt sale at this store for the last day of the sale will be one long to be remembered. Serges, plaids, silks, stripes, silk poplins, novelties, etc. Skirts that are to \$10. Our Saturday sale price which is the last day, will be

\$4.65

Spring Suits And Coats

The past few days have been seized by eager customers who have hardly waited for us to unpack them and the prices that they have been selling for is such a surprise that their friends are anxiously waiting for new shipments.

Fortunately for Saturday selling and being the last day of our anniversary sale, several shipments of suits and coats will be priced at such a low figure you too will gasp. Be sure and get here.

Saturday Special, Eggs 32c Doz.

Catfish, Jack Salmon, Halibut, Strawberries, Ripe Tomatoes, Head Lettuce, Green Onions Radishes, Celery.

No. 1 Rome Beauty Apples—50c Peck

Carrots, Parsnips, Sweet Potatoes—2 pounds 15 cents

Dressed Chickens—Turkeys

Bananas, Oranges 30c dozen. Kale, Spinach, . . . 40c a peck

JOSEPH Eleventh And Waller Sts. Phone 969

Stop Rheumatism With Red Pepper

Rheumatism, lumbago, neuritis, backache, stiff neck, sore muscles, strains, aching joints. When you are suffering so you can hardly get around, just try "Red Pepper Rub" and you will have the quickest relief known. Nothing has such concentrated penetrating heat as red peppers. Instant relief. Just as soon as you apply Red Pepper Rub you feel the tingling heat. In three minutes, it warms the sore spot through and through. Press the blood circulation, breaks up the congestion—and pain is gone. Knowles Red Pepper Rub, made from red peppers, costs little at any drug store. Get a jar at once. Almost instant relief awaits you. Use it for colds in chest. No matter what you have used for pain or congestion, don't fail to try Red Pepper Rub.

Imported Insect Pests.
Mexico has contributed its share of insect pests that are now established in this country. Chief among these are the boll weevil, the pink bollworm and the little Mexican beetle, known as the bean ladybird. The last, which has been discovered in Alabama, threatens to spread to other states and inflict immense damage to the cowpea and bean crops.

Up to Mrs. Smith.
Jack was visiting a neighbor who always had a supply of home-made cookies on hand. She gave him one, which he ate, and Jack asked for a cookie to bring to his mother. When he reached home he said: "Mother, Mrs. Smith said she was sorry but there was a bite out of your cookie."

When you are shipping by the C. & O. why not call No. 825 and save extra handling of your freight. 18-7.

Sunday School Lesson

TRYING TO BORROW RELIGION, MATT. 23:8

REV. SAMUEL WEAVER

"And the Foolish said to the Wise, 'Give us of your oil, for our lamps are gone out.'"

"What kept the foolish virgins from going into the marriage feast?"

"Their lack of oil."

"When the cry came, 'Behold, the bridegroom cometh,' they found at the last moment their need of oil, and sought to borrow from the wise virgins, but they could."

"Those not ready for Heaven, cannot borrow Religion from those who are ready."

"To obtain the oil of Salvation we must go to the proper source, which is God."

"For a time the foolish virgins resembled the wise and from their appearance there seemed to be no difference. They—probably dressed the same. They carried the same kinds of lamps, and all received the invitation to attend the wedding."

"There was no marked difference till the bridegroom came."

"You can see no difference between one who is in a trance, and another who is dead, so, it is not always an easy thing to distinguish Christians from those who are not by their outward appearance and conduct."

"You hear some people say, 'I am a Christian,' yet their actions do not correspond with their testimony."

"Let us keep our lamps 'trimmed and burning' that we may show to the world that we are a separate people."

"The testing time is coming; the gold will be separated from the dross; the good from the bad. The man who says he is a Christian and yet is not one at heart will find when he comes to the door of heaven a test there, of which he never dreamed in his philosophy."

"The bridegroom came at a time when it was the most difficult to make up for his lack of preparation, he came at midnight."

"The last moment of life is not a favorable time to begin making preparations for the future world."

"The most convenient time to prepare for eternity is while we are in health and have the right use of our minds. The dying hour generally is an inopportune time physically and mentally to safely undertake to launch any plans for the other life."

"The loved ones are gathered around the dying, weeping tears of sorrow, because the hour for separation is drawing near. Farewells have to be exchanged but let these farewells be just for a little while, and get ready to clasp glad hands on the other shore where there will be no more farewells spoken."

"So, let us not try to borrow religion from our wife or husband, father or mother, brother or sister. God says, 'If ye hear my voice and do whatsoever I command you, you will be saved.' But if we don't obey Him the consequences are ours. Can we blame the Almighty if we refuse to follow His commands?"

"Salvation is obtained only on certain conditions. To meet those conditions you must go to the right source for it. You must receive it from the right one and in the right way. It might not be your way but it must be His way. No person can expect to get to Heaven on borrowed religion for no such religion is not nor ever will be accepted of God. He has warned us against trying to borrow religion from persons. Seek it and obtain it in God's appointed way until it becomes a part of your own life. Then when the midnight cry is heard, 'Behold the bridegroom cometh, go ye out to meet him,' you will not have to say to others 'give us of your oil, for our lamps are gone out.' You will be ready. You will enter Heaven and the door will be shut on those who are not ready. ARE YOU READY?"

REV. SAMUEL WEAVER,
U. B. Church, So. Webster, O.

Hypo-Cod Best
Kidney Remedy
Declared LadyHusband Suffered 15 Years.
Limbs and Feet Swollen.
Tells About It Below.AT TIMES HE COULD
HARDLY WALK AT ALL

"My husband had been troubled with kidney trouble for fifteen years, and became so bad he had to give up work, but since taking this grand tonic called Earle's Hypo-Cod he has gone back to work and I'll tell you about it."

"His kidneys were very weak. His limbs and feet would become swollen and he could hardly walk at times. He would rest good at night and had finally become all rundown. His appetite was poor and even what he did eat would cause stomach trouble. He was so weak and nervous in spite of all the medicines he took for years that finally he gave up work. However, since taking this new tonic he is better in every way and back to work. He has a good appetite and nothing disagrees with his stomach at all. His kidneys are so much stronger he never has any trouble and sleeps just fine nights. The swelling of his limbs has disappeared and it really did such marvelous things for him I started to take Hypo-Cod as a tonic and for bronchial trouble and it relieved me too, so I can't praise Hypo-Cod enough," declared Mrs. Margaret Kinnaman, 120 N. Princeton Ave., Columbus, O.

Earle's Hypo-Cod is a nice tasting up to date tonic, more modern and powerful and naturally does its work days and weeks sooner. It is made of the finest ingredients and bears name Earle Chemical Co., which is a guarantee of finest quality in medicine. (See formula on bottle). It is so dangerous to linger in a half-sick condition this time of year, everybody should avoid delay in building themselves up and getting their system in a perfect, healthy condition. All druggists have Earle's Hypo-Cod.—Adv.

The loved ones are gathered around the dying, weeping tears of sorrow, because the hour for separation is drawing near. Farewells have to be exchanged but let these farewells be just for a little while, and get ready to clasp glad hands on the other shore where there will be no more farewells spoken."

"So, let us not try to borrow religion from our wife or husband, father or mother, brother or sister. God says, 'If ye hear my voice and do whatsoever I command you, you will be saved.' But if we don't obey Him the consequences are ours. Can we blame the Almighty if we refuse to follow His commands?"

"Salvation is obtained only on certain conditions. To meet those conditions you must go to the right source for it. You must receive it from the right one and in the right way. It might not be your way but it must be His way. No person can expect to get to Heaven on borrowed religion for no such religion is not nor ever will be accepted of God. He has warned us against trying to borrow religion from persons. Seek it and obtain it in God's appointed way until it becomes a part of your own life. Then when the midnight cry is heard, 'Behold the bridegroom cometh, go ye out to meet him,' you will not have to say to others 'give us of your oil, for our lamps are gone out.' You will be ready. You will enter Heaven and the door will be shut on those who are not ready. ARE YOU READY?"

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Henry Adams
Funeral

Funeral services for Henry Adams, 51, colored, who died at one o'clock Thursday morning at Hempstead hospital, will be held from Pleasant Green Baptist church Saturday afternoon, at two o'clock, with Rev. D. R. Reed in charge of the services.

Henry Adams was a native of Ripley, O. He had made his home in Portsmouth for the last thirty years. During this time he worked as porter at the Washington Hotel and on the L. D. York estate. For the last twelve years he made his home with Mr. and Mrs. James Melvin of 1121 Eleventh street.

The deceased was removed to the hospital about a week ago when he underwent an operation for gall stones.

Surviving are the widow, Mrs. Anita Adams, a son, Charles, of Cleveland, and a sister, Mrs. Eliza Jackson, of Cincinnati. A son, Ross Adams, was killed in France during the war. He entered the service at Cleveland. Burial will be in Greenlawn.

The Death Cup.
The death cup is a very poisonous mushroom of wide distribution. It ranges in color from pure white to more common form in the United States, to olive or yellow, and is so called from the prominent volva. It contains phallin and is almost invariably fatal when eaten.

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Hughes And
Harding Consider
Foreign Policy

ST. AUGUSTINE, FLA., February 18.—Specific steps in initiating the foreign policy of the next administration will be passed in final review late today at a conference between President-elect Harding and Charles Evans Hughes, of New York, who is expected to be the next secretary of state.

Among the problems to be discussed at the conference is the section of Mr. Harding's inaugural address to be devoted to the plan for an association of nations. The address is expected to refer only in a general way to the plan, but it is understood the president-elect wants to have Mr. Hughes' advice before he frames the exact language of this expression. Mr. Hughes' visit occupied the center of attention today at Mr. Harding's headquarters here, the morning being devoted to a number of miscellaneous appointments and to a conference of the president-elect's conference with Harry M. Daugherty, of Ohio, understood to have been selected for attorney-general.

Oppose Penalty
For Jap Sentry
Who Shot Yank

TOKIO, February 18.—(By the Associated Press)—Punishment of Toshigoro Ogasawara, the Japanese sentry who shot and killed Naval Lieutenant Langdon, of the United States cruiser Albany at Vladivostok late in December, was opposed in a resolution introduced in the Japanese diet today by Representative Zenryu Tanaka, a member of the Kensei-Kai, or opposition party. The resolution declared that the action of the sentry was justifiable and that any punishment visited upon him would militate against discipline in the Japanese army.

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Deported as Undesirable.
Little Jegg was filled with love and admiration for the tiny baby sister who, she had been told, had been sent her from heaven. The love and admiration changed to disgust, however, when the new arrival discovered that she possessed a strong pair of lungs which she exercised unceasingly. The other day Jegg was overheard to remark to a little playmate "Just listen to her! whoop it up! I bet she yelled like that in heaven and the angels chuckled her out."

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IODINE HEALS
RUNNING SORES,
QUICK RELIEF

Old Sores, Abscesses, Boils, Ringworms, Chancres, etc., are best treated and most quickly healed by the application of Iodine, says a well-known authority who also states that the wide-spread use of Iodine in army medical corps, has thoroughly proved its great value. He warns, however, against the use of common tincture of Iodine, because in this form, it irritates and stings the skin. The new form of Iodine—Lanolated Iodine Compound—is the best for such purposes. This comes in the form of an ointment, and is practically painless, will not irritate, and is readily absorbed by the tissues. In the Lanolated form, every disagreeable feature has been removed. It quickly penetrates, soothes, cleanses, and heals, and is really delightful. Nearly all local druggists, including James A. Hager, Fisher and Streich now sell and recommend Lanolated Iodine. Try it to-day! We believe nothing you have ever used will prove so effective and saving.—adv.

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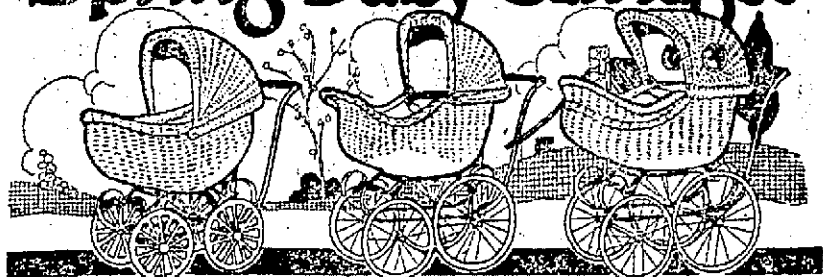
LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has this day sold, assigned and transferred his store (located at 502, Galia St., Portsmouth, O.), known as the Fashion to Henry Atlas and Alfred Goldstein and that he has severed his connection with the above mentioned store.

Those who were obligated to the Fashion will please make remittances in the usual manner to the Fashion now owned by Henry Atlas and Alfred Goldstein.

(Signed) A. Kline,
Feb. 18-19-21

Spring Baby Carriages

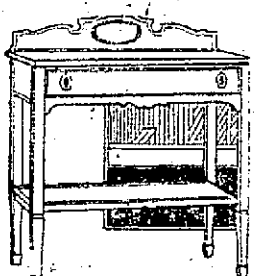


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A 608 The County Fair at Pumpkin Center—Cal Stuart; An Evening at Mrs. Clancy's Boarding House—Steve Porter and Billy Murray.

A 697 Uncle Josh's Barn Dance—Cal Stuart and Columbia Quartette; Uncle Josh and the Billiken—Cal Stuart.

A 2018 During's Hornpipe; Mississippi Sawyer—Don Richardson.

A 2858—Cairo, One Step; Rose Room, Fox Trot—Art Hickman Orchestra.

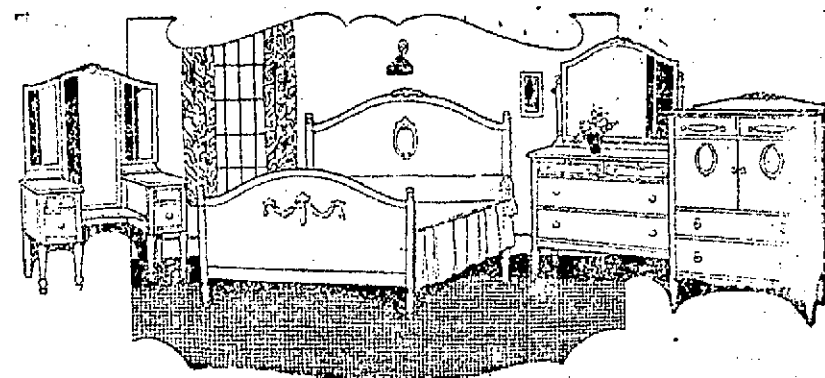
A 2838 The Nightingale and the Frog; Whistling Solo—Sanderson Pagan; Whistling Rufus—Prince's Orchestra.

A 2864 Just Like A Rose, Fox Trot; When You're Alone, Fox Trot—Paul Blase Trio.

A 3318 I'll Still Remember When You Forget—Henry Burr; When You're Gone I Won't Forget—Shannon Four.

A 2809 Casey Jones, sung by Irving and Jack Kaufman; Steamboat Bill—Irving Kaufman.

A 2783 Tell Me—Waldorf-Astoria Orchestra; Breeze Blow My Baby Back To Me—The Sync Jazz Band.



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IN PERIL FROM SIXTH STREET FIRE

Mrs. Walter Boothe and four days old baby son were forced to leave an upstairs bedroom and Edward Boothe, two years old received blisters on his face, when a fire started in a clothes press in an upstairs bedroom at the

Boothe home 1054 Sixth street at 10:15 o'clock Friday morning. The flames caused slight damage to the interior of the house.

The fire was started in the clothes press by Edward Boothe who had gotten hold of several matches which he ignited and applied to old paper in the press. The press is in the bedroom adjoining the room occupied by Mrs. Boothe and baby. Virginia Boothe, sister of the little boy, came running into the mother's room when the child started the fire but before Mrs. W. R. Mullins of the household could get into the bedroom the flames

had reached the wearing apparel and bed clothing in the press. The little boy was in the middle of the room crying with slight burns on his face.

Joseph Walters, owner of 1632 Sixth street turned a stream of water from a garden hose on the fire and kept it from spreading until the firemen arrived who used chemicals to extinguish the fire which had reached the window curtain and blind.

The clothes press door was burned through and woodwork scorched. Mr. and Mrs. Boothe lost practically all their clothing and some bed clothing. Mrs. Mullins helped Mrs. Boothe

and baby downstairs before she turned her attention to fighting the flames.

Hazelbeck Will Insure You

Sheppey Or
Shaw May Get
New State Job

COLUMBUS, O., February 18.—That the position of state welfare director, which is to take the place of the state board of administration of four members in handling the various state institutions in Governor Davis' reorganization scheme, may go to either E. C. Shaw, of Akron, or Marshall Sheppey, of Toledo, was indicated by Governor Davis in connection with announcement of their ap-

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beautifully trimmed in embroidery and beads.	In every desired shade, good quality silk jersey.	A table of stylish spring hats in small chic shapes.	In browns, tans, blues and purples, 2 pockets and belt.	Of good value, in rose, light green, blue and white, with large collar and cuffs. Sale price.
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pointments to the administration board.

The governor said that he hoped to be able to obtain one of these men for the welfare position.

Announcement of the appointment of Mr. Sheppey and Mr. Shaw was made by the governor last night following a long conference with a committee of twenty prominent business men from all sections of the state. Both are Republicans and succeed H. S. Riddle and Dr. E. W. Reinert, of Columbus. Mr. Sheppey is president of the Berdan Wholesale Grocery Company, Toledo, and Mr. Shaw is president of the Second National Bank, Akron. Mr. Sheppey was a delegate to the Republican national convention and is a member of the state central committee.

The committee and Governor Davis have extended an urgent invitation to William Graves Sharp, of Elvira, former ambassador to France, to accept appointment as one of the Democratic members of the board. The law requires two members each to be of different parties. Some prominent physician, Governor Davis announced, is being sought by the committee for the second Democratic position. He said he believed Mr. Sharp will accept the appointment and also that he may be able to announce the physician member within a few days.

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SOCIETY

Mrs. Elizabeth Ruggles and son, Walter, of 312 Market street, are visiting her daughter, Mrs. Theron Wagner, of Bethany, Ill. They will be gone about three weeks.

At the Home for Aged Women last evening, the members took part in a jolly few hours with the members of Mrs. Frank Apple's class of Trinity church, who gathered there for a program and other diversions. Piano selections were played by Misses Carol Patton and Olive Chien. Miss Maude Campbell gave a reading and James Wilhelm delighted the guests with several songs, accompanied by Miss Mary McElmurray. Later ice and cake were served and baskets of candies given as favors to the members of the home, who are: Mrs. Louise Jackson, Mrs. Anna Reinhardt, Mrs. Sarah Snyder, Mrs. Lily Wingo, Mrs. Louise Babst, Misses Ida Howe, Ella and Ida Stewart, Anna Marsh, Alice Taylor and the matron, Miss Betty Fraher.

Mrs. L. C. Murphy, TRUS, reviewed the men's Club Thursday

as guests of the club Mrs. C. V. Combs, Mrs. Frank Jackworth and Miss Jennie Carter. In serving an ice course, the hostess was assisted by Miss Jennie Carter. The members present were Mrs. S. E. Wallace, Mrs. Frank Golick, Mrs. C. E. Shultz, Mrs. R. L. Shumate and Mrs. L. C. Murphy.

Mrs. and Mrs. W. M. Briggs of Waller street will leave Saturday for Pinchcrest, N. C., to spend the remainder of the cooler months.

The Home League meeting will be held next Thursday afternoon, February 2, at the Y. W. C. A., with Mrs. Maria Nichols and Mrs. Lena Kline listed as hostesses. The program has been arranged to include:

Scripture Reading—Mrs. Albert Kober.
Roll-Call—John Signes.
Paper—"The Moon and Her Influence"—Mrs. L. G. Locke.
Music.
Paper—"Mark Twain"—Mrs. G. T. Elliot.
Sunshine Corner—Mrs. T. M. Patterson.

Mrs. Alva Barney of this city has concluded a visit to relatives in Vanceburg.

BIRTHS

A daughter was born recently to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Brown of Vanceburg. They are well known here.

SHE IS NEW HEAD
OF CONGRESSIONAL
CLUB AT CAPITAL

Mrs. Irvine L. Lenroot.

Mrs. Irvine L. Lenroot, wife of Senator Lenroot of Wisconsin, has been elected president of the Congressional club of Washington for the coming year. The annual election of officers was held recently and Mrs. Lenroot won by a great majority. She is one of Washington's most charming matrons.

Dies At The
City Hospital

After a lingering illness with tuberculosis death at 6 o'clock Friday morning claimed James Hardy, 30, colored. He passed away in Hempstead hospital. A sister, Mrs. Rosa Williams of Canton, O., was with Hardy when he passed away. The body will be shipped to Alabama for interment.

Back From Capital Trip.
Attorney Henry T. Bannion has returned from a business trip to Columbus.

With The Sick

Steve Dicken, who has been ill at his home, 1523 Summit street, is slowly improving.

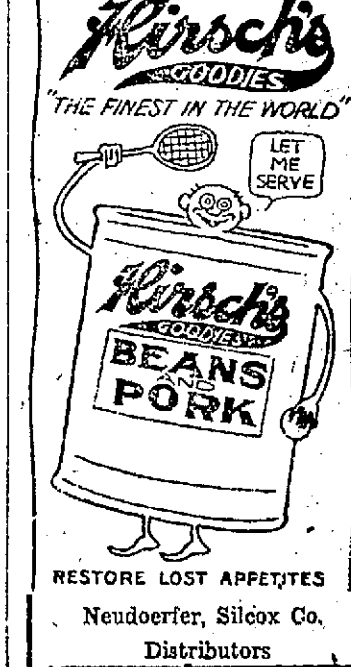
Mrs. L. A. Zucker of 1718 Grant street, who has been seriously ill for three weeks, is able to sit up.

Peeper In
East End

Residents on Eighth street, east of Broadway, complained to the police Friday that a peeper had been seen in that neighborhood for several nights. He carries a flashlight and has been peeping through many windows in that section.

Mr. Rubman Coming Home
Fred Rubman will return Monday from Cincinnati, where he recently submitted to a nasal operation. He is at the head of the Standard Supply Company.


The best bread and cakes assured when St. Nicholas flour is used. 4 Tues-Ifri



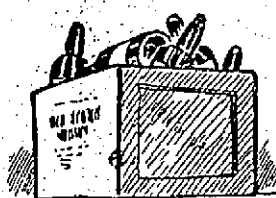
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Wonder What A Box Full of Empties Thinks About

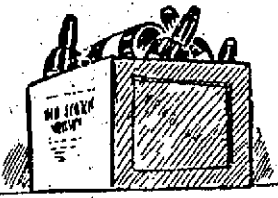
YA-HOO—OH WHAT A TIME WE'VE HAD! WE'VE BEEN FILLED, AND EMPTIED A DOZEN TIMES—BUT BELIEVE US THIS HOME-BREW STUFF HAS US GROGGY.



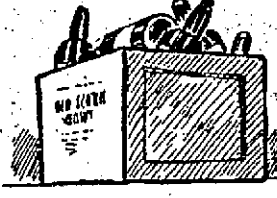
WE'VE HAD A LOT OF FUN IN OUR DAY—BUT LATELY—SINCE THIS HERE NOW PROHIBITION, WE HAVE STOOD FOR AN AWFUL LOT OF STUFF.




THE NEXT THING—WILL BE CATSUP—THEY USED TO THROW US AWAY BUT NOW THEY FILL US UP WITH OLD HOME-BREW.



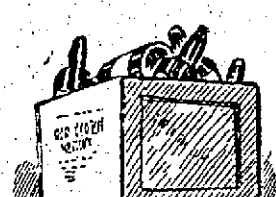
IT'S AN AWFUL LIFE BUT YOU OUGHT TO SEE THE EXPRESSIONS ON THE FACES WE SEE. THE LOVING EYES AS THEY READ OUR CUTE LABELS.



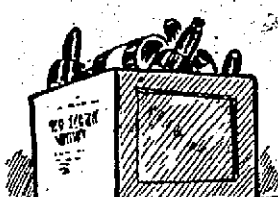
HA-HA-HA! SPEAKING OF LABELS! ISN'T IT A SCREAM? THEY DON'T MEAN A THING! AND NOBODY KNOWS THE DIFFERENCE.




AND—THIS IS THE SCANDALOUS PART OF IT!—THEY NEVER START US UNTIL THEY FINISH US—



WE HAVE SEEN SO MANY STRANGERS LATELY.



IT'S A GREAT EXISTENCE—THESE DAYS.



Issues confronting Mr. Harding's administration.

Mr. Vireck added further, the committee feels that Mr. Harding will do everything in his power to allay the racial hatreds and prejudices created by the war, to reunify our nation, and to make his administration an era of good feeling, both at home and abroad.

ANASTACIA

By PAULA PHILLIPS.

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We laughed when we saw her, she was so old-fashioned looking. It was the time when Aunt Lydia's little social club had conceived the idea of an entertainment in the village hall, the proceeds to go for local charity. Aunt Lydia had a friend over in Farmington who had heard of the entertainment through another friend over in the country and she recommended the woman as having given a "fine program," in their school house.

Aunt Lydia grasped at the suggestion and wrote the Farmington lady to send along her amusing friend, expenses paid. We engaged the best vacant room for her in Cloverfield inn, and went over to decorate the village hall. Aunt Lydia wanted things done in good style so she went to Farmington for their "rented out" orchestra. There was so little doing in Cloverfield that we were all excited over this new venture, and early on the eventful morning we drove in the big car to meet Aunt Lydia's guests coming by train from the nearby city. Annette and I anticipated the entertainer as we drove along.

"She will wear a gorgeous evening gown," said Annette, "and recite 'Curfew shall not ring tonight'."

"Wrong," I contradicted, "village people of present date are up to the minute in every way, and critical at that." But Annette was right. When Miss Anastacia Hawkins entered the inn dining room, we gasped for breath, even the men stared in astonishment. She looked exactly like your grandmother's picture, if your grandmother was not very well to do.

Well, it wasn't the curfew exactly, neither was Miss Hawkins amusing; in fact, I think her talk was on the "improving" order, but we laughed secretly as we just looked at her, and came home in great spirits.

I was putting on the light for the night when a tap sounded at my door, and I opened to find Anastacia Hawkins, fanner, than ever in a queer flannel dressing gown, with her hair skewed all over her head in wires, obtained no doubt the moth-eaten effect of which some one had spoken. She wondered timidly, if I could loan her a needle and thread, her silk wrap had ripped and she had no thread with her to mend it. She was leaving early in the morning.

She went into little raptures of delight over the monogrammed things on my bureau, and was so child-like in her pleasure, that I wished I might offer her some pretty thing as a gift. But that was out of the question; Miss Anastacia was as proud as a peacock, and withdrew with a grateful "thank you" for the long threaded needle, I never saw her again. We were afraid that lovely Cloverfield inn would be closed to us about this time, because of the impossibility to obtain help, but a young country lad, wandering in from some farm, saved the day. He wanted work, he said, and "Peter" proved to be universally useful.

We girls, and the boys too, grew fond of big stupid Peter who was at once so dense and so willing. There was not a thing in the wide world he would not have attempted for my sake.

Perhaps, because I had given the poor boy kind words, while others laughed at his blunders, or perhaps, because something real deep and sorry stirred my heart whenever his startled eyes gazed at me, Billy Towne grew actually jealous and the girls thought it mighty amusing. But one horrid day, after Peter had spent much time washing windows in the upper hall, first this guest then that, became aware of certain missing articles of personal jewelry; I, upon nervous examination found that my diamond ring was gone, mother's ring left to me. But though I was pale with fear, I didn't report the loss, but just went out to the garage and told Peter. "Told him all that the ring meant to me, told him also how terribly sorry I felt for a poor wretch who could throw away his or her life and all that life meant for bits of gold and stones and a little wicked money. Can you believe it? Peter was crying, and in two minutes he had confessed to the theft and had placed his spoils in my hands.

"Now," he said recklessly, "have me locked up if you want to. What do I care?"

There I sat with the gleaming stones in the lap of my gingham dress, "Peter," I said firmly, "tell me all about it," and he did. He "had been about that way" that was all; taught to steal from his cradle, and Peter was seldom suspected, his apparent simplicity saved him.

"We usually work the summer places," he explained doggedly, "the rooms are so easy to reach and folks always have jewelry with them."

"We?" I asked. Peter nodded dumbly.

"You mustn't tell this part," he said at last, "my mother goes along first to find the things. She tells me where I can lay hands on them. Mother's a slick one. She calls herself Miss—"

"Peter?" I gasped, "Anastacia Hawkins?"

"Put all the blame on me," begged Peter. But I thought of a better way. When I gave the jewels back to their owners I left Peter's case with them. Their decision to give him the benefit of a fresh start has proven a wise one. Peter is making good now in a position kindly offered, while Anastacia Hawkins is but a memory.

Cannot Be Spoiled.

Some natures are too good to be spoiled by praise.—Emerson.

If it is good indeed, it will call you to it.—St. Nicholas flour will produce 'em.

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You are bilious, constipated, head-achy, full of cold, nervous. Your meals don't digest, your skin is sallow. Take one or two Cascarets to-night for your liver and bowels and wake up clear, rosy and cheerful. No gripping—no inconvenience. Children love Cascarets too. 10, 25, 50 cents.

13 Points

Outlined

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should participate equally with their fellow citizens in the government of "our country."

(2) Immediate peace with Germany and the rejection of the "infamous" peace of Versailles.

(3) A protest against the French annexation of the "ancient" German province of Alsace-Lorraine.

(4) Immediate withdrawal of the American forces from the occupied portions of Germany.

(5) Condemnation of British action in Ireland as "in violation of the principles for which American blood was shed and American treasure lavished in defense of the British empire during the world war."

(6) Condemnation of the "attempt to embroil this country in a war with Japan for the benefit of Great Britain."

(7) Repeal of the Panama Canal Toll Bill, which it has been said, would be violation of our treaty with Great Britain.

(8) Opposition to entangling alliances, especially any alliance with Great Britain.

(9) Investigation of the government handling of alien property is demanded.

(10) The immediate release of Eugene V. Debs.

(11) Attacks against citizens of German descent should be ceased.

(12) Prohibition is condemned as "a breeder of death, corruption and contempt for law."

(13) A study of immigration "in a liberal spirit" was urged.

Mr. Vireck declared that these requests expressed the "consensus of opinion of patriotic and progressive Americans of German blood on vital

WENDELL PILLS AMBITION BRAND

To the man or woman who is run down, tired or overworked, Wendell Pills, Ambition Brand, should be found useful as a general tonic, and as an aid to nature in bringing strength and health.

Wendell Pills, Ambition Brand, have been used and recommended for years as a general tonic and health-giving agent. It is perfectly safe and pleasant in action—entirely worthy of your confidence whenever a general tonic is needed.

Wuester Bros., or any good druggist will supply you with Wendell Pills Ambition Brand, on the understanding that they will cheerfully refund your money on the first package purchased if you are not entirely satisfied.—Adv.

Democrat Nip Revolt

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last campaign was more or less of a fiasco, and that advantage has been taken of the mistakes which they as Democrats foresaw as inevitable when the Republicans begin to tackle the problems of state and turn from the role of critics to the desks of responsibility. So Messrs. Love and Woolley sent out telegraphic messages to the entire membership of the Democratic national committee urging a full meet-

For Bad Breath


Coated Tongue, Biliuness, Sour Stomach, Sick Headache, Bloating, Gas, Constipation, or other result of indigestion, no remedy is more highly recommended than

POLEY CATHARTIC TABLETS

They cause no griping or nausea. Cleanse the bowels, sweeten the stomach and benefit the liver. Neger dis-appoint.

Mrs. Elizabeth Blanton, 137 So. Main St., New Orleans, La., writes: "I can honestly say Poley Cathartic Tablets are wonderful."

The Fisher and Stretch Pharmacy.



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TWENTY MINUTES in conference with us will give you a new conception of banking service.

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We are always glad to be of service in such matters whenever you give us the opportunity.

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Don't pay twice as much for 'just as good'.



Insist on War Department Canned Corned Beef and Corned Beef Hash.

There are None Better. These meats were selected, cooked, prepared and canned by the leading packing houses of North and South America, under U. S. Government's most rigid supervision and inspection.

Your dealer will realize a legitimate profit from the sales (the wholesale prices listed below), and you secure these delicious, appetizing foods at a mighty big saving whereby

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Ask your dealer to get you some today. Insist that he gives you the benefit of these nourishing meats at better than pre-war prices.

THE WHOLESALE PRICES

are printed below. They will give you some idea of what you will save on your purchases.

CORNED BEEF HASH		CORNED BEEF	
1 lb. cans, 15c per can		No. 1 cans, 15c per can	
1 lb. cans, 30c per can		No. 2 cans, 27c per can	
		1 lb. cans, 15c per can	
		6 lb. cans, \$1.00 per can	

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Discounts to apply on all purchases of surplus canned meats on and after November 15, 1920, are as follows:

\$ 250 to \$1,000.....	5 per cent
1,001 to 2,500.....	10 per cent
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CUMULATIVE PURCHASES COUNT

When purchases reach \$50,001, 24% net to prevail; when purchases reach \$100,001, 28% net to prevail; when purchases reach \$200,001, 32% net to prevail; when purchases reach \$1,000,001 and over, 35% net to prevail.

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Scott & Bower, Bloomfield, N. J.

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KI-MOIDS

(Tablets or Granules)

FOR INDIGESTION

Districts around Mount Joy Square, and the approaches to that section of the city were barricaded and machine gun posts were established. A close search for arms was instituted and the extent of the preparations made for the raid indicated there was no expectation on the part of the authorities of finishing it quickly.

BEIRFAST, February 18.—A large body of Sinn Feiners attacked a party of ship yard workers in the dock district of this city last night. Serious rioting ensued, continuing for an hour, but there were no casualties, although fire arms were freely used. Police and military armored cars finally dispersed the combatants.

Pictures Taken

Members of the various fire companies and their fire fighting equipment were pictured Thursday.

The distance don't make any difference to us. The Warner-Wall Transfer Co. 18-18

Thousand Troops In Extensive Raids Made In City Of Dublin

DUBLIN, February 18.—The most extensive series of raids as yet carried out in the city of Dublin began early this morning. One thousand troops participated, being equipped with motor lorries, machine guns and armored cars.

Read what a Doctor, a Nurse and a Texan say about LUNGARDIA

Wonderful for Coughs, Colds, Difficult Breathing, Bronchitis, Etc.

The doctor says: "Since I have been dispensing LUNGARDIA I have found it my main standby. Time and again where I have prescribed it they tell me they feel better after the very first dose, and they will come or send back and say they want some more of that same kind of medicine I gave them before."

The nurse says: "I have personally used LUNGARDIA for long years during the influenza epidemic, when my condition was approaching a serious stage. The results were so swift, so effective and so lasting that I deem it a duty to recommend it to be in all homes as a preventive and emergency medicine."

The above statement from Mrs. E. V. Cook of Frankston, Texas, says: "I suffered from a cough as the result of influenza from October to April. I was unable to work from October 25th to May 15th. One bottle of LUNGARDIA completely restored me to health and to my work. Anyone can write me for verification. I can not say too much in its praise."

These letters, together with thousands of others, cannot be unsolicited. "Guard your lungs with LUNGARDIA."

Coughs and colds are mere playthings for LUNGARDIA. Inexpensive for group, put it to the test. For sale at your favorite store, one to \$1.50 a bottle.—Adv.

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New Dresses

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Poiret (will, velour, serge and taffeta)—what you want now. The new colors and styles are attractive. You'll like them and you'll be surprised at the low prices in our store. Open a charge account.

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Six weeks more of Winter. It will pay you to buy a new coat, suit or dress NOW, wear it the rest of this Winter and all of next. These values will not be duplicated next year. Open a charge account.

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Men: Here is your one big opportunity to make a real saving on a good suit or overcoat. Splendid selection, at less than next season's prices. Open a charge account.

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A lot of good people who could pay cash if they wanted to prefer to use a confidential Divided-Payment-Charge-Account at our store, and pay as they receive their money. No extra cost—no embarrassment—dignified—confidential.

The When Stores Co.

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616 Chillicothe

Are your baked foods always easy to digest?

No matter how good or expensive the materials used, if the baking powder is not right your baked foods are going to be heavy, indigestible, unhealthy.

Baking powder is one of the smallest, yet one of the most important items entering into baking. It has more to do with the success or failure of baking than any other single ingredient.

It pays to buy baking powder that is pure, certain in its work, and always the same. Such a baking powder is Heekin's.

When you use Heekin's Pure Baking Powder you need never worry about the results. It cannot give a bitter taste to foods, even if you use more than is needed, because it contains neither alum nor any other injurious chemicals. It never fails to raise your dough, even if you use less than the recipe demands.

Heekin's Pure Baking Powder is sold in various convenient sizes. If you buy a pound can, tell us on a postal or in a letter and we will send you, free, a copy of our new cook book, containing recipes for over seventy delicious and economical cakes, cookies, puddings, hot breads and biscuits.

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Contains no alum.
Is accurately made.
Works uniformly.
Contains no adulterants.
Does not ferment.
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Makes any recipe safe.
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Never leaves a bitter taste.
Makes foods healthful.
Costs less.
Insures success.



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She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise, care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio.

SOCIETY

Misses Emma and Minnie Wiechens, Miss Mary Hauke and Mr. John Hannon have returned home from Ripley, where they were in attendance at the funeral of a relative. Mr. Ferdinand Hauke, who passed away at that place last Sunday, Mr. Hauke was a life-long resident of Ripley and was also well known in this city, where he frequently visited as the guest of his sister, the late Mrs. W. W. Wiechens and other relatives. The funeral was held Tuesday morning from St. Michael's church and was largely attended, as Mr. Hauke was held in high esteem by the people of the community in which he lived.

The King's Sons and Daughters of Trinity church will give an enjoyable entertainment tonight at 8:15, in the social room of the church. The program, "Sewing for the Heavens," will precede a musical program. The Sunday school orchestra will furnish music, and home-made candy will be on sale. Numbers on the program will include:

Vocal Solo—Miss Cleo Ressler.
Reading—Miss Margaret Thiers.
Piano Solo—David Morgan.
Whistling Solo—Louise Leichter.

Mrs. Harmon, widow of Glover street gave a delightful dinner-party last evening for the pleasure of her sister, Mrs. Pearl Rhodes, and son, Raymond, of Indianapolis, Ind. Other guests were Miss Hazel Gale, Ruth Snyder, Howard Cooke, and from Columbus, Miss Grace Darrow and Miss Ruby Simpson. Miss Margaret Smith from Detroit, Messrs. John Eberle, and Earl Sommers of Chillicothe and Linwood Chatham of Cincinnati.

Mrs. W. S. Kennedy returned to her home in Columbus today after a visit with Mrs. N. B. Griffin of Lincoln street and Mr. and Mrs. J. Warren Murray of Railroad avenue.

Mrs. George Beckstedt of Fifth street and Miss Minnie Wiechens of Chillicothe street were in Cincinnati recently, where they attended the Spring millinery opening. During their stay in the Queen City they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Marx (Mary Hannon) of Walnut Hills.

Miss Norma Mayer of Fourth street has returned home from a visit in Charleston, W. Va., where she was the guest of Mrs. Joseph Mendel, formerly of this city.

Don't forget the Red Cross playlet, "I Serve," which will be given for the children Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock in the High School auditorium. All children are invited and must be attended by an older person.

Care of the Hair

A New York woman says: "I have used Parolan Sage only two weeks, but my hair has wonderfully increased in beauty, seems much heavier, and is entirely free of dandruff." Warrent Bros. sell it with money back guarantee—adv.

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3317



A NEW AND STYLISH GOWN

Pattern 3317 was employed for this design. It is cut in sizes 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44 and 46 inches bust measure. A 38 inch size will require 5 1/4 yards of 42 inch material. Serge and fancy silk or satin braided with contrasting or with floss would be attractive for this model. It is also good for velveteen, taffeta, velours, duvetyne, jersey cloth, faille or broad cloth. The width of the skirt at the foot is about 1 3/4 yard.

A pattern of this illustration mailed to any address on receipt of 10c in silver or stamps and 1c extra for postage.

Name
Street and No.
City State

Your Manners

IT IS CORRECT

For the acquaintances of the bride and groom or their families to accept an invitation to a church wedding without sending a wedding gift.

For the acquaintance of a bride and groom or their families to send flowers to the bride and a card bearing congratulations upon receiving an invitation to a church wedding.

To have wedding gifts forwarded from the shop at which they are purchased directly to the home of the bride-elect.

To include a visiting card inscribed "With sincere good wishes," or some sentiment of the kind, with a wedding present.

When sending a wedding gift from a distance to prepay the cost of its delivery to the bride's home.

IT IS NOT CORRECT

To send wedding gifts to the groom's home unless they are for his individual use.

For women in mourning to send themselves conspicuously at a church wedding.

When arriving late at a church wedding to take any but the nearest available seat.

To take a seat in a reserved pew at a church wedding.

When the bride party is arriving at the church, to whisper, make signs across the aisle ask questions of the ushers or otherwise cause commotion.

Mrs. W. L. Duncan of Quincy, Ky., and sister-in-law, Mrs. Robert Duncan, of New Boston, are guests of their brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Sexton and niece, Mrs. W. B. Whit of Ashland.

Mr. Michael Marx, of Cincinnati, traveling salesman for the American Thread Company, was a business visitor in the city yesterday. He is a son-in-law of Mr. John Hannon.

Mrs. Azory Deanner of Ninth street and Mrs. Lloyd Bailey of Robinson avenue are home from a shopping trip to Cincinnati.

The Children's Home and Foreign Mission Band of Bigelow church will meet Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Miss Elizabeth Ogler on Waller street.

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. church of South Portsmouth met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Hubert Cox. Miss Bessie Wingo assisted the hostess in the hospitalities. The guests were Mrs. Grace Nutter and mother, Mrs. Ann Booker, of Covington, Ky.; Mrs. Sam Bookser, Mrs. M. T. Zubars, Mrs. Sam Edgington, Mrs. Albert Hannon and Mrs. O. T. Smith.

Miss Margaret Hauke of Ripley was the guest of her sister, Miss Mary Hauke, at the home of Miss Minnie Wiechens, for a few days this week.

Mrs. T. F. Shaw of Ironton is here to spend a week with friends.

The Order of Railroad Conductors and the members of the Ladies Auxiliary assembled at the hall Thursday for an informal evening for which Grand District Deputy, Mrs. Anna Lynch of Lima was present. In appreciation of the aid in instructing the Auxiliary in their new ritual work, Mrs. Lynch was given a beautiful silver spoon by the ladies. A program included:

Reading: "The Railroad Crossing"—Mrs. H. E. Reed.
Vocal Solo—Jimmie Seerest, Virginia Hazlett and Elmer Maurer.
Songs with Ukulele—Mildred Dearth, Dorothy Dunn and Mildred Norman.
The valentine box was also the source of much fun. Plans were completed for the chicken dinner to be held on the evening of March 17, and the evening closed with a chill con carne lunch.

A number of young folk assembled for amuse evening Thursday at the home of Stanley Long on Offner street, the occasion being his birthday anniversary. In the dining-room, where refreshments were served, a birthday cake with thirteen candles was the center of attraction. Mrs. Oscar Long served an ice course to Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Jones, uncle and aunt of the host, Donald, Ethel and Sara Katherine Jones, Jack Hannon, Robert Bieri, Robert Rockwell, Clinton Danner, Louis Berndt, Irving Lloyd, George Roberts, Robert Smith, Kenneth Cranston, Robert Hopkins, Harold Redepennung, Lowell Hazelbaker, Carlton Keller, George Cartwright, John Earl Thornton, Jack Wagner, Lamar Shiers, Charles Blair, Homer Clark. Mrs. W. B. Jones of Ironton, grandmother of the host, was also a guest.

For the next meeting of the New Century Club, Friday, February 25, the members of the social and music committees have arranged for a Kensington to which the members are asked to bring guests. Mrs. W. S. Oldfield will be the chairman and the social afternoon will be made interesting with a talk by Miss Alice Blake, who will relate her experiences at the World Sunday School convention in Japan. A vocal solo will be given by Mrs. R. G. Gilmore and a piano duet will be played by Mrs. W. C. Ferguson and Miss Leonore Alford.

The members of Delta Camp, R. N. of A., held a meeting last evening when much interest was shown concerning the new membership campaign to be held, as each member securing five new members will be given a gold Royal Neighbor ring. The recorder reported at this time that the death claim had been paid to Mrs. Doris O'Rourke, mother of the late Hazel O'Rourke, who was a member. The proceeds obtained from the social given recently was reported to be \$75, instead of \$55.00 as previously announced.

Better use St. Nicholas flour than wish you had. At all leading grocers.

BILLY WHISKER

FRANCES TREGO MONTGOMERY

The three, Shep, Violet and Frisky, were coming at a snail's pace, for Violet had given Frisky the reins and he was coming on a run, trying to catch up with Shep, who was bounding ahead of him. Presently they reached the stable yard and Billy called to Shep to come to the fence as he had something he wished to ask him about.

"Wait a minute, old fellow, until I see Violet safely to the house, and then I will return and talk to you," answered Shep.

As soon as Shep joined Billy he was asked if he knew anything about a club called "The Barnyard Social Club."

"I should think I did," he replied. "I have been a ragpicker and its secretary for four years. Intended asking you and Nannie to join us some time ago, but forgot all about it until I saw the invitations lying this morning and then I made up my mind to speak to you right away, and was on my way to do this when Violet called me to go with her and Frisky. But who told you about it?"

"The red heifer," said Billy, and he repeated the conversation he had had with her.

"All she told me is correct," said Shep. "Now, you and Nannie be on hand tonight and I will introduce you and put your names up for membership. Any one desiring to join has to have his name posted at one meeting and then voted on the next. We vote in this manner. There are fifty members in the club and everyone in favor of the one whose name is posted drops a stone in a peck measure. These are counted and if there are less than twenty-five votes in favor of the candidate he cannot join. If there are more than twenty-five votes, he is elected a member. In this way no one knows who has voted for or against himself, but you need have no fear for yourself or Nannie, for I know that you are already great favorites on the farm."

"What are your lectures about and what else do you do at the club?" asked Billy.

"Properly speaking, we do not have lectures, but rather, friendly talks. Any animal who has had an exciting or unusual experience is asked to tell about it, or if he has traveled much he is asked to describe what he has seen. We also have a weekly luncheon at an informal meeting of the club. There are no speeches on that night, only bits of news that have been picked up through the week. For instance, the cows often hear a good deal as they are driven along the road on their way to pasture. They hear the farmers talking across the fields, or the neighbors talking across the fence, or the school children talking across the road, or the various families most of the time."

"For instance, did one of the animals hear that the old cat's kittens were to be drowned, it would tell it to the rooster and he would crow out the news so that the first one that saw the old mother cat could tell her and she would have time to carry her babies to some safer hiding place."

"I must go now, but I will meet you at the gate at a quarter after eight. That will give us a quarter of an hour before the roll call, for you to meet the strangers at the club. I forgot to tell you that animals from the other farms often steal away from home and come to our meetings. Goodbye until quarter past eight."

(Tomorrow you'll hear about the strange club meeting.)

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Miss Margaret McCoy of Offner street will come home from Cincinnati Saturday, after a few days' stay with her sister, Mrs. Jane Litchfield, who is recovering from an operation for appendicitis.

The L. A. to the L. of R. T. will meet tonight at 7:30 in Trainmen's Hall.

Miss Helen Bell of Seventh street has gone to Cincinnati to spend the weekend.

Mrs. Edward Shuler and son, Randall of Harrisonville Pike, have returned from Chillicothe, where they visited with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Lewis of this city are home from a visit to relatives and friends in Lewis county, Kentucky.

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Her Own Career

(BY PHYLIS PHILLIPS)

MORNING
Although Fedya knew that he had awakened Gwendolyn to a realization of desire, he was far too fine in feeling himself to spoil the effects of his revelation. That had come to her so unexpectedly by any coarseness or over-display of his own intense desire for her. The soul and mind of the girl lying so dreamily before his first place were so delicate, too delicate, too exquisite in their whiteness for him to shock or soil in any way. Above all else, Fedya was an artist, and as such could never be guilty of destroying beauty. One wrong move from him and his Gwendolyn might be disillusioned and spoiled forever. So many, many sensitive women had been victims of just this same thing. So many great hearts and lovers lost. His supreme happiness lay in the fact that this lovely girl whom he had been adoring from afar for so long, and who had filled his heart with new love and hope, was not indifferent to him, as he had once believed. That he and his kisses had brought the whole, wonderful world of love to her being as the sun's rays bring their great joy and warmth to the rose. This, in itself, was more than that he had dared hope for, and his face was radiant with the happiness within him as he sat feasting his eyes on Gwendolyn.

The room was intensely still and for an hour neither of them spoke. They scarcely moved, so wrapped up in their own musings were they. From somewhere in the distance a clock tolled the third hour of the new day and with a little gasp of returning consciousness, Gwendolyn started up from where she lay dreaming.

She saw Fedya sitting just as she had left him, and with the look in his eyes that she now understood. He smiled as he came out from his dreams and put out his hand to her.

Slowly Gwendolyn drew near to him as if fascinated. Something seemed to couple her to draw closer to him, even as he desired. A something that urged her to run into the arms of danger, and yet fly. With her own hand she touched the back of his lightly. Every move of her graceful body carried a caress as she bent over him and stared. His dark eyes gave her back glance for glance, unwaveringly, yet without frightening her now. Then, as if overcome by some emotion too strong for her to bear, Gwendolyn sank to the floor. A violent shudder ran through her slender form as she crumpled and dropped her head onto her knees. Tears followed, deep-seated, heart-breaking tears, that seemed to rend her in two with their violence. The girl abandoned herself to her emotional joy-grief, as though in so doing she was paying her greatest tribute to the new forces that had come into her life that night, as well as weeping over the grave and memory of her girlish innocence.

Fedya was deeply affected by the sight of her, bent so low before him, but he knew that Gwendolyn must be allowed to have this out with herself. In her own way, it was the law of nature.

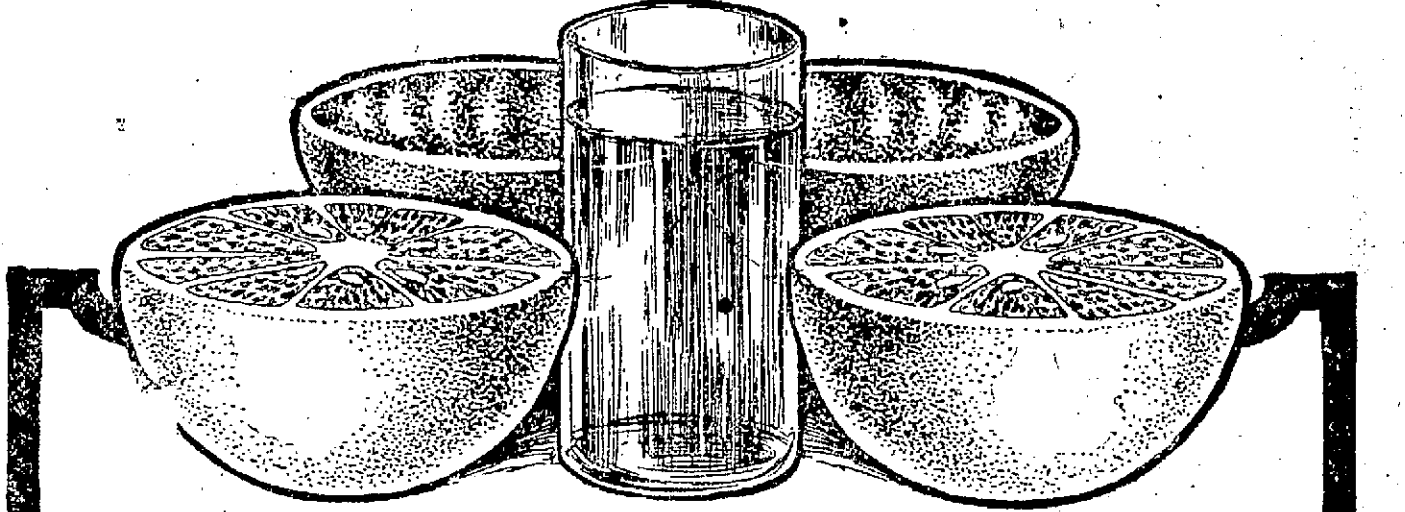
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Keep Your Nose Clean

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She Was Curious

Little Jennie sat at table, elbows on the table and hands under chin, quietly watching papa return thanks. When he had finished she said: "Papa, where did you learn that pretty little verse?"



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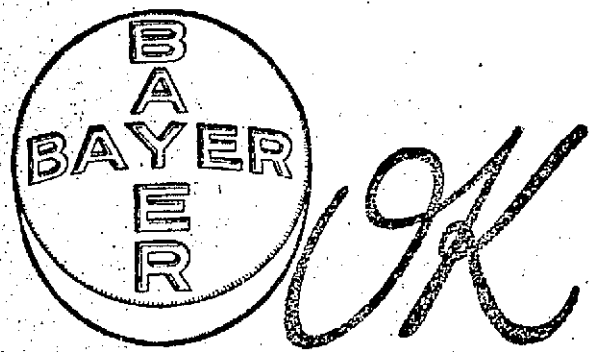
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Would-Be Suicide To Recover

Charles Turner, a well-known young man in Ironton, who attempted to end his life by firing a bullet through the top part of his head, will recover. Worried over the fact that his wife left him and that he must face a charge of white slavery, it is believed, caused Turner to commit his act. He is well known in Portsmouth and is the son of a prominent grocer in Ironton.

To Disperse Cockroaches. Turpentine sprayed in the haunts of cockroaches will always disperse them and often quite destroy them.

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Row Over Bull Dog Leads To Murder

NORFOLK, VA., February 18.—A police court row over a bull dog ended fatally here today when Miss Frances Holand was shot and mortally wounded at the court room door by Thomas Toyon, a local merchant. Toyon then turned his weapon on himself and may not live.

The court dismissed Toyon's charge that Miss Holand had stolen the dog. He awaited her on the sidewalk and opened fire as she came out.

Bread baked from St. Nicholas flour is real bread. All grocers sell it. 4 times 4 for 1

Regulations On Transportation Of Liquor As A Beverage

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 18.—Regulations were issued tonight by the Internal Revenue Bureau governing the transportation of liquor for beverage purposes in accordance with the recent decision of the supreme court on the question of intoxicants acquired before the advent of permanent prohibition, January 17, 1920.

"Such liquors" the regulations provide may be moved by their owner from a place of storage to his private dwelling for the use of himself and family or guests entertained there. Permits for the transportation of lawfully acquired liquor must be obtained from federal prohibition directors. Liquor held in bond, however, may not be withdrawn for beverage purposes.

Liquor lawfully obtained before national prohibition, the regulations provide may be received by the heirs of the deceased owner, who would have the same rights of possession and transportation as the original owner.

All persons possessing lawfully acquired liquor in storage outside their dwellings are required by the regulations to make a report to the prohibition director of their state within thirty days, showing kinds and quantity owned. No report is necessary covering liquor now held in a private dwelling. Liquor may not be removed nor transported in violation of any state or federal law making such removal or transportation illegal, the bureau ruled.

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Keep Wide Awake

RIVER NEWS

The Ohio river was dropping back slowly in the Portsmouth district Friday morning when a stage of 22 feet was recorded.

The steamer General Wood of the Liberty Line passed down Thursday midnight bound for Cincinnati on its initial trip since re-entering the Pittsburgh-Cincinnati trade. The big steamer had a big passenger list and was loaded to the guards with a cargo of merchandise.

The Tacoma after laying at the local wharf over night cleared at 5 a. m. Friday for the Queen City and the steamer Greenwood passed up at 11 o'clock Friday morning for Charleston.

Wanted local and long distance hauling. Phone No. 825.

BIRTHS

A daughter was born recently to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sexton of Scioto Furnace.

A daughter was born recently to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Davis, of Oak Hill. Mrs. Davis was formerly Miss Mary Hughes.

Furniture Cleaner.

Home-made furniture cleaner can be made by adding one tablespoonful of turpentine and three tablespoonfuls of linseed or lemon oil to one quart of boiling water. When cool enough to be comfortable to the hand, use as a wash water on all furniture except white enamel. Soft cheesecloth for wash cloth and a dry piece for a soft wiping cloth will give the good polish of clean wood. There being no varnish in the mixture, the furniture will not be sticky from this cleaner.

Beauty as a Business Asset.

I can't recall when I have seen a homely girl in charge of the reception room of a business office. It has long since dawned on employers that beauty makes an excellent first impression, and, moreover, that beauty whether in a girl or the wallpaper, boosts the office morale.—The Nation's Business.

NAVY DISMISSES MAN WHO "FAKED" HEROISM IN WAR

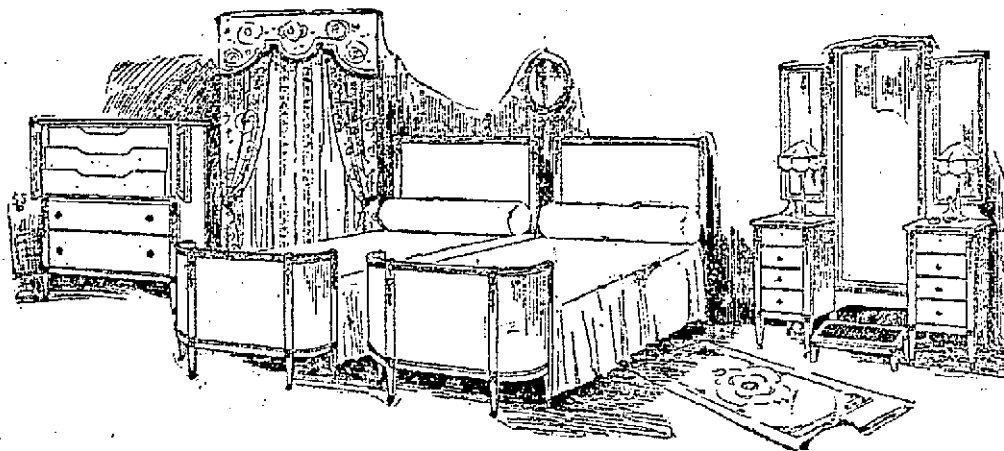


Capt. Edmund G. Chamberlain.

President Wilson has approved the findings of the naval court-martial which recommended the dismissal from the marine corps of Capt. Edmund G. Chamberlain. He was court-martialed in Europe after the armistice. The court found him guilty of deception in connection with certain alleged heroic aerial exploits while a victor at a British airfield at the front.

February Offerings In Bed Room and Dining Room Furniture

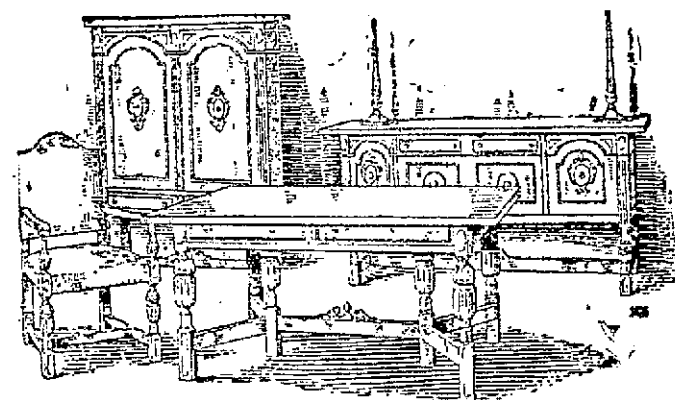
After invoicing our stock in our large warehouse we find that we are still overstocked in Bedroom and Dining Room Furniture. In order to reduce the surplus stock we have marked special prices on over \$20,000 worth of Furniture, taking our loss and giving you the advantage of prevailing conditions.



Our stock of Diningroom Furniture contains the full line of The Wait Furniture Co. of Portsmouth and the best styles of two representative Grand Rapids manufacturers. You are sure of a good selection, you get first class goods, but you pay factory prices.

We must reduce these particular lines. We need the floor space.

We have on hand 25 Bedroom Suites in oak, mahogany, American Walnut and Ivory, representing all styles and periods which we are offering at less than replacement values. We have the stock on hand and must move it to make room for new purchases. Take advantage of our surplus stock.



Some More of the Special Columbia Records at 85 Cents Each

- 2942—WAY DOWN BARCELONA WAY—Harry Fox; ALL THE BOYS LOVE MARY—Van and Schenck.
2938—COME BACK TO GEORGIA—Hickman's Orchestra; TAKE IT EASY—Hickman's Orchestra.
2938—SING ME TO SLEEP—George Meader; AGES AND AGES—George Meader.
2892—CHRIST IN FLANDERS—Charles Harrison; IN FLANDERS FIELDS—Charles Harrison.
2891—SELECTIONS FROM "FAUST"—Marconi Brothers; FIRST WALTZ—Marconi Brothers.
2883—AFGHANISTAN—Prince's Dance Orchestra; MOHAMMED—Prince's Dance Orchestra.
2880—DANCING HONEYMOON—Hickman's Orchestra; FEE FI FO FUM—Hickman's Orchestra.
2867—DOWN IN MY HEART—Charles Harrison; SOME DAY YOU'LL KNOW—Henry Burr.
2866—COMRADES—Campbell and Burr; SWEETHEARTS—Gladys Rice and Chas. Harrison.
2865—OH, MOTHER, I'M WILD—Jack Kaufman; WHY DID YOU DO IT?—Jack Kaufman.
2864—JUST LIKE THE ROSE—Paul Biese Trio; WHEN YOU'RE ALONE—Paul Biese Trio.
2863—ALL THAT I WANT IS YOU—Henry Burr; WHEN THE HARVEST MOON IS SHINING—Lewis James.
2861—CHLOE—Al Jolson; WAS THERE EVER A PAL LIKE YOU—Henry Burr.
2853—SLIM TROMBONE—Columbia Band; A CAT-ASTROPHE—Columbia Orchestra.
2845—MY LOVE SONG, MY ROSES AND YOU—Charles Harrison; HAND IN HAND AGAIN—Campbell and Burr.
2843—NOW I KNOW—Lewis James; ALL I HAVE ARE SUNNY WEATHER FRIENDS—Campbell and Burr.
2841—RAINBOW OF MY DREAMS—Hickman's Orchestra; BURMESE BELLES—Hickman's Orchestra.
2839—WONDERFUL PAL—Hickman Trio; NOBODY KNOWS—Hickman Trio.
2834—LOLA, One Step—Guido Deiro; TEMPERMENTAL RAG—Guido Deiro.
1374—PULLMAN PORTERS' PARADE—Al Jolson; YOU MADE ME LOVE YOU—Al Jolson.
1737—OUR DIRECTOR MARCH—Columbia Band; MONTE CRISTO—Band Garde Republicaine.
2131—THE LOVELIGHT IN YOUR EYES—Samuel Ash; MY LONELY LOLA LO—Sterling Trio.
2203—POOR BUTTERFLY—Charles Harrison; MY ROSARY FOR YOU—Charles Harrison.
2265—OH, JOHNNY! OH, JOHNNY! OH!—Elizabeth Brice; OH! PAPA, OH!—Arthur Fields.
2512—WEDDING BELLS—Al Jolson; JUST A LITTLE COTTAGE—Sterling Trio.
2547—DOWN HOME RAG—Fuller's Novelty Orchestra; I AIN'T GOT NOBODY MUCH—Fuller's Novelty Orchestra.
2631—MY IRISH SONG OF SONGS—Charles Harrison; THE FIELDS O' BALLYCLARE—Charles Harrison.
2640—HOWDY—Fuller's Novelty Orchestra; RUSSIAN RAG—Fuller's Novelty Orchestra.
2690—ON THE ROAD TO CALAIS—Al Jolson; IT'S NEVER TOO LATE TO BE SORRY—Sterling Trio.
2923—TIRED OF ME—Lewis James; ROSE OF WASHINGTON SQUARE—Henry Burr.
2893—HAWAIIAN HOURS WITH YOU—Campbell and Burr; BEAUTIFUL HAWAIIAN LOVE—Campbell and Burr.

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PARENT-TEACHERS ASSOCIATION MEETS

More than forty parents were in attendance at the monthly meeting of the Parent-Teachers' Association of the Eleventh street school Thursday afternoon.

The pupils of grade two, under the supervision of their teacher, Miss Lulu Turner, pleased all by their excellent rendition of motion songs, recitations in concert and folk dances. A paper, "The Obligations of the Parent to the School" was read in a very pleasing manner by Miss E. C. Bishop.

A general discussion of the paper followed. In the reading and discussion of the paper these points were stressed: The parent owes these obligations to the school; to keep in close touch with the school, so as to note the progress or failure of their children; to keep them out of extra school entertainments, which incapacitates them for school work; to keep an ever watchful eye over their social life and to assume the responsibility of creating public sentiment which favors the adequate financing of the public school system.

The Benevolent Committee, composed of Madames Corlella, Randall, Hattie Bryant and Sarah Dudley, reported that they had received and distributed among the children since the last meeting some thirty garments. There are other children who are in

Legion Five Wins, 30 To 16

In a hard played game the James Dickey Post, American Legion, last night won a 30 to 16 victory from the highly touted Kappa Sigma 11 five of Chillicothe. The game was fast all the way through with the locals sending in fresh men every few minutes.

The first half ended with the Legion five in the lead 15 to 0. The second half was just as hard fought the Legion players doubling their score and the visitors more than doubling theirs.

Pease starred for the locals at center. He got the batoff on his opponent four times out of five and this helped materially in getting the ball to the locals' basket. The locals kept the ball in their possession most of the time and had they made a basket at every attempt the score would have been more than 50 to 16.

The Legion is represented by: No. 825 for C. & O. Passenger and Baggage Calls. 18-71

need. Any help along this line will be appreciated.

Mrs. Bessie Lucas, corresponding secretary, read a communication from Mrs. A. J. Albrecht, Dayton, O., treasurer of the Ohio Branch National Congress of Mothers' and Parent-Teachers' Associations, accepting the application of the local branch for membership in the state and national bodies.

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A 35-cent bottle of delightful "Danderine" freshens your scalp, checks dandruff and falling hair. This stimulating "beauty tonic" gives to thin, falling hair that youthful brightness and abundant thickness—all druggists!

Find Skeleton Of Mastodon

DISPER, ARIZ., February 18.—Discovery of the skeleton of a mastodon near Charleston, 35 miles west of this city, was reported today by members of a surveying party.

The discovery is the second of its kind made within the last two weeks, the first mastodon skeleton having been found about ten miles from Charleston. A party headed by Dr. Gidley, of the Smithsonian Institution, engaged in uncovering the first skeleton found, also the remains of a glyptodon.

Protect the Children Healthy Blood and a Healthy System is a child's best protection against Colds, Grip and Influenza. Give them GROVE'S IRON TONIC SYRUP.

BIRTHS

A son was born Thursday night to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Leichter (Alma Gulker) of Eighth street. Mr. Leichter is employed by the Druggist Dry-goods company.

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Phone 285. 1504 Gallia St.

Competition flour \$1.50 per sack, \$11.90 per barrel. Large Can No. 3 Tomatoes, Two Cans For 25c. One Dozen Cans \$1.50. Grape Fruit, 3 for 25c. Money Saved Is Money Made. We Deliver To Your Door Cheaper Than You Can Carry Them. Open Till 9 O'clock.

New York Cream Cheese, pound 30c
Large Dill Pickles, dozen 40c
Magnolia Flour, per sack \$1.35
Per barrel \$10.75

EVERY DAY MILK
4 small cans for 25c
2 tall cans for 25c
12 tall cans for \$1.50
4 dozen case for \$5.65

New Prunes, per lb. 12 1/2c, 15c, 20c, 30c
New dried Peaches, per pound 35c
Rasins, per package 30c

Brick Cheese, per pound 34c
1 pound jar Peanut Butter 25c
Van Camp Baby Size Milk, per doz. 70c

New Pack Sweet Brier Pineapple
No. 3 can for 45c
Per dozen \$5.35
Per case \$10.60
No. 2 can for 35c
Per dozen \$4.15
Per case \$8.25
No. 2 can grated for 30c
Per dozen \$3.50

Elegant sugar corn, 2, for 25c
Per Dozen \$1.40
2 Dozen Case \$2.75

POSTUM
50c size Instant Postum 45c
Cereal Postum, per package 23c

Campbell Pork and Beans per can 12c
2 for 23c
Large Head Rice 3 pounds for 25c
Broken Rice 4 pounds for 25c
Good Brown 79c

FRESH EGGS

P. N. BUTTER

1 pound jar Battleship Peanut Butter 25c
2 pound can of Pond's P. N. Butter 35c

CAN PUMPKIN

3 No. 2 cans 25c
2 No. 3 cans 25c
3 cans Hominy 25c

NEW BEANS

Choice Michigan hand picked beans.
2 pounds Navy Beans 15c
5 pounds Navy Beans 30c
10 pounds Navy Beans 55c
100 pound bag Navy Beans \$5.25
New Lima Beans, 2 pounds 25c
New Pinto Beans, 3 pounds 25c

Pure Castor Oil, large bottle 15c
Hipp O Lite, per jar 30c
Root Beer Extract, per bottle 10c
Matches, 6 boxes 25c
Winko Soap, per can 20c
Try one can and then you will want another.

NEW HOME MADE SORGHUM

1 quart Mason jar for 40c
Try a quart and get more.
1 pound Cocoa net weight, in quart jar—just think of it—for 35c

TOMATO SOUP

Dining Car Brand, a big can for 10c

MACARONI AND SPAGHETTI

3 packages, large 20c
Pure Cod Fish, per pound 25c

POTATOES

2 1-2 bushel bag \$2.65
Per peck 30c
Per bushel \$1.10

TUBS

No. 1 \$1.20
No. 2 \$1.25
No. 3 \$1.45

SPECIAL ON SOAP

10 Ivory Soap 79c
10 Star Soap 65c
10 P. and G. Naphtha 65c
10 Octagon Soap 75c
10 Pils Soap 65c
10 Swift White Laundry Soap, fine as any made for 65c
10 B. T. Rabbits Tub Soap 65c
10 Joy Soap 50c
Per box \$4.75
10 Lenox Soap 60c
10 Crystal White Soap 65c
10 Clean Easy Soap 45c
Per box \$2.50
3 Palm Olive Soap 25c
10 Star Naphtha Powder 50c
Klean Kleaner, per can 5c
Sani Flush, per can 25c
Lysol, 2 cans for 25c
Old Dutch Cleanser, 2 cans 25c

PICKLES

Large, sweet, per jar 25c
Large, Sour, per dozen 35c

LUNCH SPECIALS

Red Bird Salmon, per can 25c
Pink Salmon, per can 20c
Oil Sardines, per can 10c
Mustard Sardines, per can 25c

SPECIAL ON LARD

Pure Hog Lard, per pound 17c
No. 10 bucket \$1.69
No. 50 can for \$7.45
Good Lard cans each 30c

COFFEE

We are the price makers. Others try to follow.

Battleship Coffee 28c
Golden Sun Coffee 32c
Red Bird Coffee 32c
Old Reliable Coffee 35c
Arluckles Breakfast 32c
Steeple Chase 40c
Barrington and Hall Soluble Coffee 42c
1 pound loose Rio Coffee 15c
7 pounds loose Rio Coffee 99c

FRUIT

Bananas, per dozen 35c
Oranges, per dozen 35c
Lemons, per dozen, large 30c

BAKING POWDER

Davis, large cans 20c
Good Luck, per can 9c
Royal, large can 39c
Rumford Baking Powder, per pound 30c

PURE EXTRACT

Lemon, per bottle 10c
Vanilla, per bottle 10c

BREAKFAST FOOD

Shredded Wheat, per box 15c
Puffed Wheat, 2 boxes for 25c
Puffed Rice, 2 for 35c
Mother's Oats, 2 boxes for 25c
Grape Nuts, 2 boxes for 35c
Post Toasties, 2 boxes for 25c
Cream of Wheat, per box 30c
Fettijohn's Rolled Wheat, per box 24c

BUTTER AND OLEO

Gem Nut 3 for 39c
Best grade Oleo Margarine 2 lbs. 60c
Creamery Butter, per pound 52c

SPECIAL ON MEATS

Bacon by the pound 30c
Bacon by the strip 28c
Dry Salt Meat, per pound 15c
California Hams, per pound 19c

Onions, 10 pounds 25c

PEACH PRESERVES

Per can 15c
Per dozen \$1.75

None Such Mince Meat, per pkg. 20c
2 packages 35c
Good Luck Baking Powder 24 ounce can for 25c
Pure Cider Vinegar, per gallon 40c

CANNED FRUIT

Large can sliced Peaches 45c
Peach Preserves, per can 15c
Large can Plums, per can 45c
Logan Berries, per can 50c
Blackberries, per can 50c
Royal Ann Cherries, large can 60c
Red Pitted Cherries, per can 45c
Apricots, small can 25c
Apricots, large can 45c
All these fruits are canned in heavy syrup

Liberty Sweet Cocoa. Just try a package.

for 15c

1 pound jar of Strained Honey for 50c

Pearl Soap 10 for 50c

SPECIALS

Toilet Paper 3 rolls for 25c
Argo Starch, 2 boxes 25c
Hen Food, 5 pound box 25c
Mustard, large jar 10c

BREAD 3 FOR 25c

Any kind, wrapped bread you want.

CANNED CORN

Sweet Brier Corn, per can 20c
Per dozen \$2.25

SPECIALS ON TOBACCO

Any kind scrap tobacco, 3 pkgs for 25c
12 packages for 35c

CRISCO

1 pound can 19c
3 pound can 57c
6 pound can \$1.14
1 1-2 pound can 25c

CANNED PEAS

Red Bird, per can 15c
Per dozen 175
American Club, per can 25c
Per dozen \$2.95

CRACKERS

Ginger Snaps, per pound 20c
Butter Crackers, per pound 20c
Graham Wafers, per pound 20c
Macaroni Snaps, per pound 40c
Cocoanut Cakes, per pound 40c

NEW GOODS

Corn Meal, 6 pounds 25c

A-JAX CHUM SALMON

1 pound can for 15c

TOMATOES

No. 2 cans, 2 for 20c
Per Dozen \$1.20
2 Dozen Cans for \$2.40

SOAKED PEAS

Per dozen 60c
Per can 6c

Aunt Jemima Pancake, pkg. 20c; 2 for 35
Aunt Jemima Buckwheat, pkg. 20c

PURE PEPPER

1 pound for 30c

JELLY

8 ounce glass of Beechnut Brand pure
Catawba Grape for 25c
7 ounce glass Armour's pure Jelly 15c
Corn Syrup Jelly 6 ounce glass 10c; 3
for 25c

Forced Grocer To Open His Safe; Robbers Steal \$400

HUNTINGTON, Feb. 18.—Two masked negro highwaymen last night entered the grocery store of J. J. Skelton 546 Eighth avenue, and, at the point of revolvers, forced the owner of the store to open his safe. They escaped with about \$400 in currency after cutting the telephone wires to prevent Skelton notifying the police. The robbery occurred about eight o'clock, the negroes evidently being familiar with the store and habits of the proprietor because they entered the store just as Mr. Skelton was preparing to lock up for the night.

C. & O. Force Again Slashed

The Huntington Herald Dispatch this morning said:
Another reduction in force, affecting 200 employees of the freight department, will be effective at the Chesapeake and Ohio shops tomorrow, it was learned last night. This brings the number of men suspended at the shops since the reductions began close up to 500.
There is still considerable work in prospect for the shops, as there are a number of engines now in service which are marked up for repairs. On the other hand, many of the locomotives which have been repaired recently have been white-headed and put on sidings at the shops to await such a time as a resumption of coal movements and other freight business demand their return to service.

SMALL FIRE

An alarm turned in from Box 47 about three o'clock Thursday morning sent the companies from two fire stations to 1105 Chillicothe street where a small fire on the roof of a house occupied by Walter Evans was discovered. The blaze which probably started from sparks from the chimney was extinguished with a trifling loss. The property is owned by Thomas Nichols.
Hazelbeck will insure you.

war on rats and many traps have been set all at her home in Garrison, Ky. is much improved.

When you have tried all makes of flours, you will decide St. Nicholas is the best of all.

INDIGESTION GOES, GONE!

"Pape's Diapiesin" at once fixes Your Sour, Gassy, Acid Stomach

Stomach acidity causes indigestion! Food souring, gas, distress! Wonder what upset your stomach? Well, don't bother! The moment you eat a tablet or two of Pape's Diapiesin all the bumps of indigestion pain, the sourness, heartburn and belching of gases, due to acidity, vanish—truly wonderful! Millions of people know that it is needless to be bothered with indigestion, dyspepsia or a disordered stomach. A few tablets of Pape's Diapiesin neutralize acidity and give relief at once—no waiting! Buy a box of Pape's Diapiesin now! Don't stay miserable! Try to regulate your stomach so you can eat favorite foods without causing distress. The cost is so little. The benefits so great.

OAK HILL

Ellis Shumate of Athens stopped Wednesday evening for a short visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Grubel, before going to visit his mother, Mrs. Ottilie W. Smith at Ironton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ottilie Miller and children are in Trimble, O., visiting Mrs. Miller's father, John Bauer and family. They expect to move there in the near future.

Spriggs Found Guilty

The trial of A. G. Spriggs, held in Wellston Monday before Mayor Hazelbeck, resulted in a decision of guilty. Thirteen witnesses were examined. Spriggs was indicted for selling intoxicating drinks. Attorneys Robbins and Jones represented Spriggs, while the state's attorney was Charles M. Earhart of Columbus.

Married

Samuel Stiffler son of Jacob and Margaret Wampler Stiffler, deceased, and Miss Marcelle Barton, both of Jackson, Route 1, were married Tuesday at the U. B. parsonage by Rev. M. R. White.

Sherman Stiffler of Banner was transacting business at the county seat Friday.

Hopkins—Bennett

Russell Hopkins of Sciotoville and Miss Addie Mae Spohn of Stockdale motored to Jackson Friday and were married at the Christian church parsonage by Rev. Ira Scott. Mrs. Hopkins is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Spohn of Stockdale and is a niece of Mrs. David H. Reed of Jackson. The happy couple will reside at Sciotoville.

Thomas L. Evans spent several days this week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Evan D. Morgan, at Jackson. Mrs. John Circle is in Springfield visiting her daughter, Mrs. Grace McIntyre.

Assisting In Revival

Rev. M. R. White, pastor of the U. B. church at Jackson, is assisting Rev. C. F. Hughes in a revival meeting at the U. B. church at Wellston.

Vast Riches in Comstock Lode.
The Comstock lode produced \$340,000,000 of gold and silver in the 30-year period from 1860 to 1890, the largest annual output being in 1877, when \$38,000,000 was taken out. The vein was four miles in length and great pockets in the rock were filled with ore. It was mined to a depth of 3,500 feet, when inflowing water was so hot further depths could not be reached.

that War is On
"Vandalizing citizens have declared war on rats and many traps have been set in that village."

PILES TREATED BY NON-SURGICAL METHODS
Rectal diseases often develop into a fatal cancer. To delay treatment is dangerous. Don't continue to suffer—others have obtained absolute relief—so can you. Send for Free Booklet on Rectal Diseases.
DR. L. M. ROSS
166 1/2 N. High St.
Columbus, Ohio.
Please mention this paper.

Closes Deal For Big Boat

Capt. John Davis, of Fullerton, returned Thursday night from Cincinnati where he closed a deal for the purchase of an excursion boat which he expects to put in commission here exclusively as an excursion steamer. The craft represents an investment of several thousand dollars and the new owner expects to take it to the docks at Ft. Pleasant and have it repaired and put in tip top shape before it is put in service here about April 1.

The steamer has a capacity of 900 passengers and is equipped with a large dance floor.

MOTHER GRAY'S SWEET POWDERS FOR CHILDREN
A Certain Relief for Feverishness, Constipation, Headache, Stomach Troubles, Teething Disorders, and Destroy Worms. They Break up colds in children. At all druggists. Sample mailed FREE. Address: MOTHER GRAY CO., La Rue, N. Y.

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Get a 25¢ Box
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LENS GRINDING OUR SPECIALTY
Our modern equipment includes a lens grinding plant on our premises.
Our facilities, in this respect, are most excellent, most complete. Come to us with the assurance of accurate work quickly executed.
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Easter comes unusually early this year. We are prepared with a collection of spring garments to show you a better line than ever before with lower prices and better quality of materials than has been possible for many seasons past. We know you will be unusually pleased when you see them. The styles are delightfully appropriate for spring.

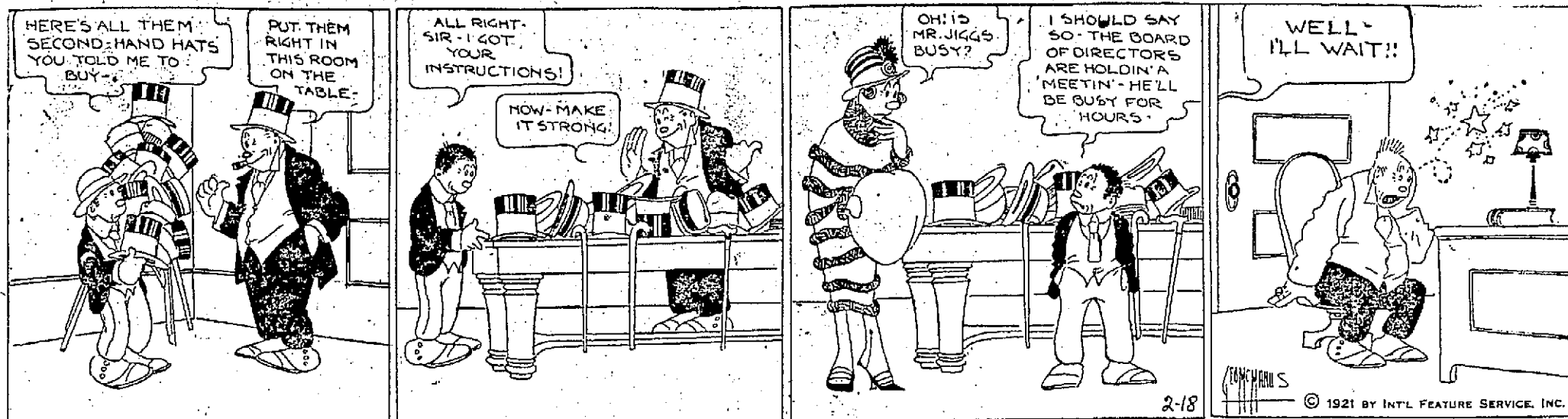
Our new spring coats will appeal to the youthful tastes. The nifty designs, clever conceptions and dainty workmanship are really remarkable.

New Spring Dresses In Serge, Tricotines, Taffetas and Crepes Are Arriving Every Day

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BY GEORGE McMANUS

BRINGING UP FATHER



Churches Plan For Pre-Easter Campaign; Raising Money For Advertising Campaign

Churches affiliated with the Portsmouth Ministerial association will report this year the pre-Easter campaign, which was such a marked success in the community last year. Each of the churches will hold special services for at least two weeks preceding Easter, making a well connected, community wide simultaneous evangelistic campaign that is planned to reach all sections and all classes. Biscow and First Presbyterian churches plan to unite their services, and it is possible this idea may be followed in one or two other localities.

Last year the campaign was financed by 42 of the business firms of the community, and committees appointed by the Ministerial association already have been seeing business men seeking support for this year's campaign. They have raised sufficient money now to insure an advertising campaign. Just how effective this campaign will be depends upon those who have not been seen, as a considerable sum must yet be raised if the best possible results are to be secured.

The committees all report that their reception so far has been most cordial and they are optimistic over the prospect of securing the money needed.

Program For Playlet Saturday Afternoon

Following is the program and participants in the Junior Red Cross playlet, Saturday afternoon, 1:30 o'clock at P. H. S. Auditorium:

Orchestra.
"God's Country"—Jr. Red Cross Chorus.
Introduction—Mrs. Irvin Reister.
Playlet—"The Unsuccessful Germ"—33 Junior Boys.
Butterfly Dance—Marion Smith and Mary McGuire.
Orchestra.
Playlet—"I Serve"—30 Junior Boys

and Girls.
Chorus and Dance—Mary McGuire, Wm. Plummer and Junior Red Cross Chorus.
The judges of the merits of these playlets, a series of six, are Mesdames Clarence Nodder, Walter Smith, Misses Emma Johnson, Margaret Lefter, and Prof. Frank Appel. After the last playlet of the series will have been given, those receiving the highest honors, will be awarded some prize in recognition of their efforts.

Greenwood Rams Wharfboat

MANCHESTER, Feb. 18.—Shimmering Greenwood, with Capt. Green on the roof and Lawrence Young at the wheel was caught by a gust of wind yesterday and rammed against the wharfboat with such force that the aprons were torn away, a number of the steamer's

stations stored in and the bigger engine overturned. Capt. Green says that the crew is blameless.

BIRTHS

A daughter was born Tuesday to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Howard (Margaret McManus) of 2118 Ninth street. Mr. and Mrs. S. D. McManus of South City View are the grand-parents of the baby.

Truth About Porcupine.
The quills of the porcupine are loosely inserted in the skin, and may, on being violently shaken, become detached—a circumstance which may have given rise to the purely fabulous statements that the animal possessed the power of actually ejecting its quills like arrows or darts at an enemy.

Exactly What Is Opium?
A species of poppy of Hindustan and Asiatic Turkey gives us opium. The opium is the juice from incisions in the green heads of seed capsules of the plant after the petals have fallen. The juice looks milky, but turns black as it solidifies.

MOTHER! "California Syrup of Figs" Child's Best Laxative



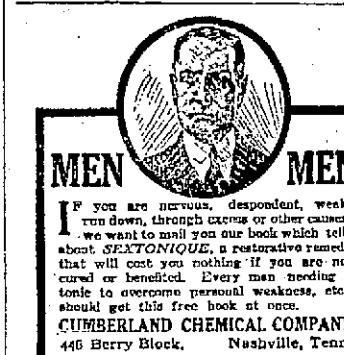
Accept "California" Syrup of Figs only—look for the name California on the package, then you are sure your child is having the best and most harmless physic for the little stomach, liver and bowels. Children love its fruit taste. Full directions on each bottle. You must say "California."

PLANT REPAIRED

After groping around in the dark several days in Vancuburg citizens of that village again have light. The electric light plant had to be shut down three days when a journal on the dynamo let go. The necessary repairs have been made.

ACCEPTS CALL

Rev. L. L. Locher of Monro, Shelby county, Ohio, has accepted a call to the St. Paul's Lutheran church in Ironton.



NEW BOSTON

Since so many desire to play basketball in the High School gymnasium on Monday nights, it has become necessary to apportion the time so the last church team will know when its time comes.

On next Monday night the Methodist will play from 6:30 to 7:30 and the following Monday from 7:30 to 8:30. The other two churches will have the remainder of the evening to use as they desire. The parents and players are greatly enjoying the evenings. Only those who were at Sunday school the previous Sunday or have attended three Sundays out of the last four are allowed to play. This rule will be enforced. For only those who wear rubber soles are permitted on the gym floor. This is the order of the school authorities and must be obeyed.

The Guiding Star's class of the M. E. church will meet this evening at the home of Mrs. Charles Butler on Cedar street.

Mrs. Earl Dodge of Gallia avenue, who recently underwent an operation in Hempstead hospital remains about the same.

Gerald Reils of North Merland addition, who has had the measles, is better.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Zornes are moving from Stanton avenue to Garrison, Ky.

Nile Burtram of Walnut street, who has been ill, is recovering.

Thomas McKnight of Rhodes avenue, who left for Cleveland Monday to accept an appointment as railway mail clerk, reports to his friends here that he arrived there and is working in the mail terminals at that city.

The girls' second basketball team will play the Portsmouth III Freshmen team this evening at 7:30 in the Glenwood gymnasium.

The boys' basketball team will play the Wheelersburg boys' basketball team tonight in the gymnasium.

The girls' basketball team of the high school today journeyed to Ashland, where they will play the High School girls' basketball team there tonight.

Elmer Hughes of Glenwood avenue is visiting his parents at Oak Hill.

The eighth grade basketball team went to Schottsville this afternoon to play the girls' basketball team there.

Back From Cincinnati
Manager Francis Mack of the Lyric theatre has returned from a business trip to Cincinnati.

Not Ambitious.
We have no desire to get into the strong man class when it comes to carrying a load on the mind.

The best floor is always the cheapest—and the best is St. Nicholas.

No Trace Of Murderers Of Teachers

CLEVELAND, O., February 18.—Pathos was added to the murder of Miss Louise Wolf, 38, principal of Parma Heights High School, when, Edith, the adopted daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Taylor, was informed today that she was a sister of the dead woman.

Louise Wolf and Miss Mabel Foote, 24, a teacher, were clubbed to death late Wednesday afternoon. Their bodies, badly mutilated, were discovered near a road by several of their pupils while enroute to school yesterday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor adopted Edith.

CHILDREN'S COLDS should not be "dozed." Treat them externally with— **VICKS** VAPORUB Over 17 Million Jars Used Yearly

Wolf about 25 years ago when her parents died. Louise and another sister, Mrs. Katherine Savory, had frequently visited Edith, but it was never intimated that she was not the natural daughter of the Taylors.

An all day search by county authorities yesterday assisted by a posse, failed to find any trace of the assailants. The search was resumed at daybreak today.

When Mrs. Taylor this morning began to tell her adopted daughter, Edith, that she is really the sister of Miss Louise Wolf, the slain school

teacher, the surprise she had expected the girl to express was her own when Edith said:

"I know all about it. My eldest sister, Mrs. Frank Owen, told me five years ago you had adopted me when my parents died."

The search of the Parma district was begun by armed residents after police and deputy sheriffs abandoned the man hunt at nightfall Thursday.

The conviction of those living in the neighborhood of the crime is that the killer was so badly injured in the death battle with the school teachers he could not have fled far from the scene. They believe he might have taken refuge in nearby farm buildings.

All during the night the posse trudged from farm to farm with lanterns lighting the way. Hay in barns was overturned, feed bins were peered into and empty wagons, standing in sheds were searched, while the dim light from the lanterns cast weird shadows upon the searching party.

As the second day of the hunt pro-

gressed searchers found themselves so completely without clues that they were unable to agree whether one or two men had committed the crime. Parma authorities believe the killer is still in the neighborhood and declare he was probably so badly beaten in the struggle he would be afraid to enter the thickly populated districts.

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To keep money about your person or in your house is to invite thieves and robbers. The best strong box in the world is the Savings Institution. It is the box that is bound by the brass of experience, social co-operation and strict laws.

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Wonderful Spring Styles Arriving Daily-- Remaining Winter Lines Being Cleared Out Fast!

In keeping with our strict policy we are pushing the disposal of every winter garment while the cold season is still here.

Your opportunities to make big savings at the "P. D. G." are greater now than ever before! Show thrift—buy here tomorrow!

Dresses

Much attention is being given to the new silk dresses just received—and they are certainly worth it. The elegance of them in material, making, color and trimming express the very latest ideas in spring styles—and not one of them is high priced! They range from

\$12.95 to \$24.95

On account of the new lines coming in the few winter dresses of poplin, serge and taffeta go at

\$4.98, \$7.98, \$9.95

SUITS

The early arrivals in spring suits display a very interesting variety—straight line models, flare back coats, and plain tailored styles. The materials of gabardine, serge and tricot are wonderfully fine. Smart collar, belt, skirt and trimming effects are plentiful. And our prices on them make them all the more attractive.

\$19.95 to \$29.95

We have some real bargains in extra size suits of fine serge!

COATS

Attractive short coats for Spring are now on our racks—and they are remarkably low priced!

Without consideration as to cost we are sacrificing every women's or misses' winter coat, both cloth and plush models. See the sensational values being offered tomorrow.

SPRING HATS!

We have just received a shipment of fine braid millinery for spring wear—both trimmed and untrimmed, fascinating styles!

High grade one of a kind trimmed braid at \$4.98 up

New braid hats, trimmed, special \$2.98 and \$3.49

Charming untrimmed braid hats at \$1.98 up

One lot of Velvet Hats formerly to \$6.95 at \$1.00



SKIRTS!

Two remarkable bargain lots of spring skirts were just received. Just look at these offers—

Spring plaid skirts, full, nicely made with pockets and belts, only

\$1.98

Spring serge skirts, navy, blue, good material, full made, belts and pockets, only

\$2.98

JUST IN! NEW WAISTS!

Voiles, pongees, crepe de chine, georgettes in the latest up to the minute styles just received.

Dainty and very new wash waists in five different exceptionally pretty styles at only

98c Beautiful Pongee Waists, very new long sleeve styles, pleated fronts, pretty collars at only

\$3.49 Just received Spring style Georgette Waists in wonderful new shades, embroidered, beaded

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Reduced Prices On Emerson Records. See This! All Records That Were \$1.00 Now 85c. All 75c Records Closing Out At 50c.

EARLY SPRING MILLINERY

at \$3.98--\$4.98--\$5.98

We are showing some remarkable values in women's high grade trimmed hats in silk and satin and straw combinations. We have all the popular shades also black. Come and see these hats. The values and styles are so remarkable that you will surely be impressed.

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We are going to call your attention all season to our remarkable display of millinery flowers and trimmings. We have a space 40 ft. long devoted to millinery flowers only. Our prices range from 10c up to \$2.49. We offer wonderful values at these prices.

Toilet Paper, Special Values At 5c, 7 1-2c, 10c, 12 1-2c

Six Specials In Aluminum Ware

At 49c heavy grade aluminum one quart sauce pan, 2 quart pudding pan and medium size skillet at 59c. 1 1-2 quart covered sauce pan and covered stew pot, 2 quart aluminum sauce pan. These are real bargain values.

Acorn Brand Yarns29c
All colors in Germantown zephyr floss.

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Light and dark colors. The same that sold for 98c. Special for 65c.

Women's Shirt Waists 70c

Odd lot of women's slightly soiled shirt waists closing out for 70c.

Toilet Paper Special 7 for25c

Regular 5c roll of crepe toilet paper. Sale Saturday only at 7 rolls for 25c.

Sugar
3 lbs. for
25c

Pepper's
Popular Price Store

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3 lbs. for
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To rent five or six room house on or above Robinson Avenue by March 1st. Best reference. Phone 1842-X. 17-3t

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Housekeeper, middle aged lady preferred, small family, modern house. Phone 2332-X. 16-3t

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Work of any kind. Trimming shrubbery or grape vines or fixing fences or anything in that line. Call 1052. 16-1t

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Ladies to try American Beauty Parlour, 715 Chilliote St. Phone 253-L. 16-5t

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You to know that New Boston has Taxi Service, now open for business. 4120 Gallia. Phone Boston 74-X. 17-3t

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You can't afford to miss our flour sale. Portsmouth Meal and Feed Mills, 435 Front St. Phone 109. 18-1t

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All new goods. Rubbers. Ladies 49c, shoes \$1.45; Men's \$2.00. Raincoats for the entire family; see show window for prices. Sample Shoe Store, 11th and John Sts. 18-2t

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Fresh cow and calf. James Toach, Jefferson St. Scotoville. 18-3t

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Farm about 50 acres; 15 acres cleared, 9 acres bottom, balance in timber, gently rolling fairly well fenced, 5 room house, two small barns, good orchard, good water in yard, plenty grapes on county road daily until, 1 1/2 miles to railroad station 10 miles from Portsmouth, Ohio; \$750 if sold by March 1st. Address Chas. Davis, Siliam, Ky. 18-2t

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2 used upright pianos 5 organs and 7 phonographs with records. R. P. Seiler, 212 Chilliote St. Turley Bldg. 18-2t

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Harley-Davidson motor cycle, 1920 model. Baramin. Call E. Wiley 212 Chilliote St., between Glen and one o'clock. 18-2t

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By owner, five room house at 1708 Gallia complete bath, house repaired, repainted new electrical fixtures, garage large for no street assessment, house storm sheltered and ready to move into. One of the best here in city at \$750. Call 1249-R after 7-30. 18-1t

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Player Piano at a very good bargain; owner leaving. Term if desired. R. R. Seiler, 212 Chilliote St. Turley Bldg. 18-2t

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2 nice home-separating rooms. Phone 2217-L. 18-2t Oak land. 2-18-1t

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Modern sleeping room. 718 Third. 2-18-1t

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38 acres close in, \$1000 down, yearly payments, price \$2000. Eichelberger, 65 First National Bank Bldg. 16-3t

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Nice three room cottage, city water, gas, well, fine large basement, extra big chicken park, hen house, porches, and half acre of tillable land. Located near Y. M. C. A. building. Be independent of your job this summer with chickens and garden produce. \$500 followed by \$20 per month puts you in possession. Price \$700.

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Beautiful six room, frame bungalow, west of Offinere street, reception hall, hardwood floors upstairs and down stairs, hardwood finish, tapestry mantel, folding doors, pantry, basement, furnace, built in kitchen cabinet, double doors, extra large lot, garage. Owner leaving city, a bargain. Price..... \$8500

6x room, two story square house, west of Offinere street, hardwood floors, hardwood finish, reception hall, cabinet mantel, basement, combination gas and electric fixtures, attic, pantry, front and rear porches, newly painted. Owner leaving city. Will take automobile as part payment. Price..... \$7000

Seven room, two story, square house, Logan street, complete bath, reception hall, sliding doors, cabinet mantel, front and rear porches, basement built in china closet, sanitary sink, large well lighted rooms, property in good condition, must sell. Price..... \$6700

Five room cottage, Oakland avenue, reception hall, complete bath, combination gas and electric fixtures, cabinet mantel, front and rear porches, cellar, built in china closet, sanitary sink, new paint and paper. Price..... \$5700

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Cadillac 8 touring car. A-1 condition. Phone 1764-R or 165. 16-3t

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5 room house on Summit St., water, gas, bath, large lot \$1000. 6 room house on 18th St., if you are interested in a bargain call us for appointment. Look at this bargain—4 room cottage, 18th St., water and gas electricity. 2 porches garage, large lot; bargain at \$5,800. Six room house on Sixth St., house complete, built 2 years; price \$5,000. 5 room house at Terminal a good buy at \$4,000. 8 room house on Hill arranged for 2 families, water, gas, bath, electricity 2 baths house built 4 years. Price \$6,150. Phone 2152-R. R. W. Frye. 2-18-1t

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New building lot, 40 ft. front, Scotoville. City limits \$700. Terms, Ed Cunningham. Phone 5002-Y or 125. 18-1t

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Pine Mah. Player Piano \$225 paid on contract; will sell for balance. R. P. Seiler, 212 Chilliote St. Turley Bldg. 18-2t

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New town lot for camp of summer home. 2 acres, \$150; 5 acres \$300; 10 acres \$500; 11 acres \$700; 25 acres \$800; 63 acres \$700. Terms, Ed Cunningham. Phone 5002-Y or 125. 18-1t

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10 acre hill farm 2 room house, barn and orchard. For quick sale \$250. Inquire Maggard's Barber Shop, 4016 Rhodes Ave. 18-2t

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38 acres close in, \$1000 down, yearly payments, price \$2000. Eichelberger, 65 First National Bank Bldg. 16-3t

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Save money. Have your clothing altered, repaired, cleaned and pressed. Phone 1467. Unger. You know us. 8-1t

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FOR RENT
3 and 4 room unfurnished flat. On car line. 1901 8th. Phone 2107-L. 18-3t

FOR RENT
Garage. 1026 19th St. Phone 2133-Y. 18-3t

FOR RENT
2 unfurnished rooms. 1249 Hutchins Ave. 18-3t

FOR RENT
5 room flat. Phone 1567-Y. 18-3t

FOR RENT
4 room flat with use of bath and water preferred. Inquire McCalls, 1629 17th St. 18-3t

FOR RENT
Four room house, water, gas, electricity. 513 Front St. \$22 per month in advance. Call Wertz 1897. 18-1t

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3 room flat, first floor, bath, gas, electricity. 2019 18th. Phone 2152-R. 2-18-1t

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FOR RENT
2 furnished rooms. Phone 918-L. 18-3t

Five room cottage, Grant street, complete bath, combination gas and electric fixtures, pantry, newly papered, varnished and painted, front and rear porches, sanitary sewer, nice lot, will take small amount of cash as first payment, or good used automobile. Price..... \$5500

Six room, two story Oakland avenue, complete bath, combination gas and electric fixtures, pantry, two cabinet mantels, front and rear porches, cellar, sanitary sink, property is in good condition, large lot, will trade for cheaper property, or will sell on easy terms. Price..... \$5500

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Large 8 room, two story frame, storm sheeted, triple floors, two reception halls, gas, electricity, hardwood floors and finish, butler's pantry, sanitary sink, folding doors, cabinet, mantels, built-in kitchen cabinet and china closet, bath room plumbing roughed in on first floor, complete bath on second, front and rear porch, attic, garage, street assessments paid, a very fine home on Highland avenue, immediate possession. Price **\$9250**

Large 7 room square brick, reception hall, pantry, water, gas, electricity, bath, hardwood floors and finish, folding doors, tapestry mantel reinforced concrete porches, built-in kitchen cabinet, large attic, basement, combination furnace, sewer, house has slate roof, large brick garage, side drive, lot 40 ft. front, street assessments paid, one of the finest homes on Hill, Hutchins street, Timmonds addition. Price **\$12,500**

Large 6 room, two story square frame, reception hall, large pantry, gas, electricity, bath, hardwood floors and finish, mantel, large front and rear porch, basement, furnace, sewer, cistern, storm sheeted, slate roof, garage, side drive, street assessments paid, beautiful home on Highland Ave. Price **\$10,500**

Large 6 room, two story frame, gas, electricity, bath, hardwood floors and finish, pantry, sanitary sink, built-in kitchen cabinet, French doors tapestry mantel, reinforced concrete porch, basement, sewer, storm sheeted, garage, side drive, large lot, street assessments paid located in Micklethwait Addition. Price **\$7750**

Large 7 room, two story, square frame, slate roof, storm sheeted, den, reception hall, gas, electricity, bath, hardwood floors and finish, pantry, sanitary sink, built-in kitchen cabinet and china closet, two sets folding doors, two cabinet mantels, large front and rear porch, basement, attic, sewer, shed, large lot, street assessments paid. If you are looking for a fine home on New Fifth street, this is a bargain **\$8250**

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OBITUARY

Mrs. M. W. Swain

Mrs. Carrie Gray Swain was born at Bellefontaine, Ohio, June 21, 1877, and died at Jacksonsville, Florida, January 12, 1921, aged 43 years, six months and 23 days. She was the wife of William Swain of Scioto county.

Mrs. Swain's entire life was spent in and around Bellefontaine and Springfield where she leaves many dear friends. Poor health caused her to go to Florida, where she hoped to regain her strength. The family went south in November 1920. Mrs. Swain suffered a long time from lung trouble.

Mrs. Carrie Gray was united in marriage December 23, 1908 to Wm. Swain of Scioto county. To this union four children were born, three living as follows: Orin, aged 11, Thelma, aged 10, and Lois, aged 8. Charles preceded the mother some time ago. Besides the husband and three children she leaves her father, three sisters and a brother.

She was converted and baptized in 1911 in the Ashberry Methodist church at Vienna, Ohio, and later had her membership transferred to North Hampton.

Mrs. Josie Zimmerman

Mrs. Barbara L. Underwood of 112 Second street has received word of the death of her mother Mrs. Josie Zimmerman who passed away Tuesday February 8, at her home at Paris, Ky., after an hour's illness of neuritis of the heart. Mrs. Zimmerman would have been 62 years old had she lived until March 16.

Mrs. Zimmerman was a native of Bath county, Ky. She lived at 635 Seventh street this city about eight years and moved two years ago to Paris, Ky. She made many friends while a resident of this city and her legion of acquaintances will learn of her death with deepest regret.

Mrs. Zimmerman is survived by her husband Mack Zimmerman of Paris, Ky., six children, Mrs. Barbara L. Underwood of this city, John Zimmerman of Carey's Run, Mrs. Mary Lawrence and Mrs. Millie Dill of Paris, Ky., Elva and Newton Zimmerman, of Paris. She also leaves three sisters, Mrs. Underwood, was unable to attend the funeral on account of illness.

Lafayette Skaggs

Lafayette Skaggs, aged 75, and who was quite well known in Portsmouth passed away several days ago at his home near Garrison, Ky. He is survived by many relatives and friends.

Celia Clifford

Death Thursday afternoon about three o'clock, claimed Celia Clifford, nine-year-old daughter of Mrs. Dee Nease and step-daughter of Dee Nease, World War veteran, who died two weeks ago near Friendship. The final summons came to the child at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Mary A. Odle, Worley's Run, near Friendship.

The child was nine years old and had been ill twelve weeks, suffering with malnutrition. Her condition took a decided change for the worse after the death of her step-father.

The Nease family lived on Odle Creek until after the death of Mr. Nease when they moved to the Odle home on Worley's Run.

The child is survived by her mother, Mrs. Lizzie Clifford Nease, one sister, Jessie, aged 6, and her grandmother, Mrs. Mary A. Odle. The father, Thomas Clifford, died four years ago.

Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at two o'clock with burial in Vaughters' cemetery.

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THE MARKETS

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Trading on the stock exchange at the opening of today's session was fairly active, but very irregular. Standard mills and industrial stocks were steady to firm. But secondary stocks as well as shipping and accessories and oils were subjected to further pressure. Atlantic Gulf was especially heavy, declining almost 2 points in the first few transactions. Speculatives whose direful prospects are under discussion extended their recent losses. Foreign exchange stiffened, the London rate rising 1 1/2 over yesterday's final quotations.

The strength of leaders in the steel equipment and railroad divisions constituted the only noteworthy features of the morning. This was in striking contrast to the heaviness of various specialties, particularly shippings, rubber and food issues. Atlantic Gulf lost almost seven points. Ajax Rubber 4, Goodrich 2, and Kindred issues 1 to 2 1/2. Gas shares were strong. Brooklyn Union gaining 3/4. Oil's moved irregularly but broke weak before noon and drove against Mexican Petroleum. Call loans opened and reopened into next week at 7 percent and the rate of exchange on London continued to decline.

Shippings, oils and motors featured a succession of reactions in the stock market today, together with numerous miscellaneous issues, notably tobacco and food shares. Sales approximated 550,000 shares. The closing was heavy.

NEW YORK STOCKS CLOSING PRICES

American Best Sugar 48
American Can 30
American Car and Foundry 124
American Locomotive 84 1/2
American Smelting and Refg. Ex. Div. 42 1/2
American Sumatra Tobacco 57 1/2
American and T. 300
Anaconda Copper 33 1/2
Athol 82 1/2
Baldwin Locomotive 90 1/2
Baltimore and Ohio 34
Bethlehem Steel "B" 37 1/2
Central Leather 37 1/2
Chesapeake and Ohio 50
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul 27 1/2
Coca-Cola 70 1/2
Crescent Steel 94
General Motors 14 1/2
Great Northern 14 1/2
Goodrich Co. 35 1/2
Int. Mer. Marine 31 1/2
International Paper 56 1/2
Kennebec Copper 19 1/2
Mexican Petroleum 100 1/2
New York Central 72
Norfolk and Western 103 1/2
Northern Pacific 84
Pure Oil 34 1/2
Pennsylvania 40 1/2
Reading 76 1/2
Rep. Iron and Steel 67 1/2
Shell Oil and Refining 24
Southern Pacific 78 1/2
Southern Railway 22
Studebaker Corporation 60 1/2
Texas Co. 43 1/2
Tobacco Products 54 1/2
Union Pacific 120 1/2
United States Rubber 70
United States Steel 84 1/2
Utah Copper 55 1/2
Westinghouse Electric 46
Willamette-Oregon 75

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Wheat and corn in the southwest had a bullish effect today in the wheat market. Opening prices, which ranged from 1/2 to 2 1/2 cents above March 1921, were 1.67 to 1.38, were followed by a slight further setback and then by a rally to about yesterday's finish.

Corn paralleled the action of wheat. After opening 1/2 to 1/4 lower, including May at 69 1/2 to 69, the market sagged a little further and then fully recovered.

The market closed weak, 1/4 to 1/2

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white, No. 1, 2.15 per 150 pound sack; Michigan round white 2.00 @ 2.15. Sweet potatoes: Delaware yellow, No. 1, 6.50 per bushel.

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Butter higher; creamery extras 47, standards 46. Eggs higher; receipts 13,126 cases; firsts 34 @ 34 1/2; ordinary firsts 30 @ 31; at mark, cases included 32 @ 33. Live poultry lower; fowls 29; springs 29.

GASOLINE AND ALCOHOL
CINCINNATI, Feb. 18.—Alcohol, denatured 60; seventy percent 38. Gasoline, tank wagon, 28.

WOOL MARKET

BOSTON, Feb. 18.—The Commercial Bulletin today will say:

"There has been a moderate demand for wool this week and prices are firmly maintained. The feature of the week's news is the cleanup of about 1200 bags of notes by the American Woolen company, which are thought to be the cause of the market's nervousness, although the consensus of opinion is that the bill will not become a law. Some orders sent abroad, however, have been recalled in consequence.

"American competition has been less pronounced in the foreign primary markets and prices have sagged somewhat, especially in Australia. The goods market is cheerful, but not especially active."

SUGAR

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Sugar futures closed steady; sales 1,000 tons; Mar. 4.05; May 3.19; July 3.41; Sept. 3.58.

Raw sugar was unchanged early today at 4 1/2c for Cuban, cast and freight, equal 5.77 for centrifugal. There were sales of 38,000 bags of Porto Rico. Refined unchanged at 7.50 for fine granulated with good inquiry noted.

Putures ruled quiet and prices were 2 to 4 points lower at midday under scattered liquidation.

CLOSING PRICES ON OIL STOCK

COLUMBUS, Feb. 18.—Closes Service common 2.52 @ 2.57. Do preferred 70 @ 70 1/2. Pure Oil common 34.

LIBERTY BONDS

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Liberty bonds closed 3 1/2 @ 31.20; first 4 1/2 @ 37.50; second 4 1/2 @ 36.70; first 4 1/2 @ 37.45; second 4 1/2 @ 36.92; third 4 1/2 @ 36.00; fourth 4 1/2 @ 37.12; victory 3 1/2 @ 37.38; victory 4 1/2 @ 37.42.

COFFEE

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Coffee, Rio, No. 7, 17-18; futures steady; March 1.57; Sept. 1.74.

MONEY

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Call money easier; high 7 low 6; ruling rate 7; closing bid 6; offered at 7; last loan 7; bank acceptances 6 1/2.

PRODUCE MARKET

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COTTON
NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Cotton spot quiet; middling 13.40.
Cotton futures closed steady; Mar. 13.10; May 13.60; July 14.02; Oct. 14.45; Dec. 14.65.

Insect Pests Threaten Crops.
The Japanese beetle, brought in about the same time as the peach moth, has already gained such firm foothold that, in view of its habits and prolonged flight, it is probably incapable of extermination and may ultimately overstep the United States. Another foreign pest in comparatively recent years is the European corn borer. Infestations have been discovered in several states, and local quarantines by the federal horticultural board have been instituted to prevent the spread to the corn belt.

Gave Them What They Asked For.
Deacons seeking ministers for their churches often applied to Mr. Spurgeon, famous English pulpit orator. One asked him to send a student who could "fill the chapel," and got an answer saying that Mr. Spurgeon had not one big enough, but he thought he could send one who might fill the pulpit. A reply came that that was really what they wanted, and a minister was accordingly sent. It was Mr. White.

Quirks of Children's Minds.
A correspondent informs us that we did not quite complete our story about the little girl whose version of the national anthem was "My country, my country, my country." He says she followed it with "Arthur of Liberty." He adds: "And a close second to this is the following quotation from the twenty-third Psalm by another little miss, 'Surely the good Mrs. Murphy will follow me all the days of my life.'"

Writer's Cramp.
Writer's cramp has been defined as an occupation-neurosis to which those who do too much writing, especially with the hand too tightly contracted, are especially liable. A person with this trouble has no complete control over the muscles of the thumb and middle and fore fingers, although other manual operations are performed without difficulty. The affection seldom manifests itself till toward middle age.

Did Her Little Best.
"Dorothy, dear, I hope when you took back the picture book that you thanked Mrs. Naylor for lending it to you." "There was nobody home, mamma, but the door was open so I went in and put the picture book on the table and said 'Thank you,' and 'come away.'—Boston Transcript.

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Tuesday, Feb. 22

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1921 Roadster, new, regular price \$1525, for **\$1400**
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B—Pathe Presents "The Money Changers" with Roy Stewart.
C—Pathe Review.
D—Ford Sterling in "A Ballroom Romance"—Full of Laughs.
E—Blackford, Haritone Soloist.
F—Powerful, thrilling and, in the same breath, tender, exquisite, can truthfully be said of "The Money Changers," which begins its three night engagement at the Eastland yesterday. It is Benjamin B. Hampton's newest and we think, the greatest production. He and Upton Sinclair wrote the story around a theme contained in Mr. Sinclair's novel of the same name. The picture commands interest at the very start, quickly plunging into the story, which introduces characters in New York's high society and then shifts to Chinatown.

To expose the drug gang is the ambition of an alert, young newspaper reporter, whose articles have caused a falling off in sales and thrown fear into the ring's leaders. The action leads fast and furiously up to a climax that for thrills and suspense sets your blood pounding and your nerves throbbing. It stirs your emotions to fever heat.

"The Money Changers" also is not lacking in romance, there being three and, uniquely, the one of the ring leader's playthings is the more exquisite and tender of the three.

Ben Bratt, who is ill with rheumatism at his home on Front street, is improving.

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NEAL HART
In the Western feature
"Skyline"



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George B. Seitz in "Little Gold"
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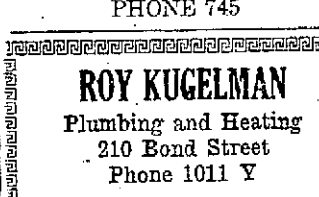
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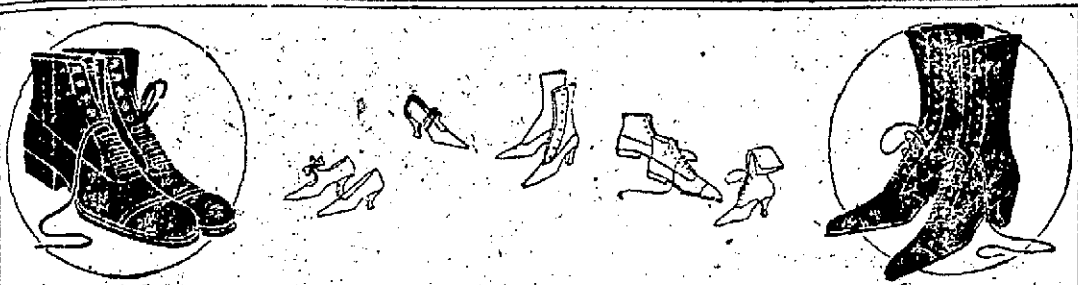
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INTERESTING FACTS ABOUT FISH AND GAME COMMISSIONS GIVEN AT C. OF C. MEETING

That Scioto county has an ideal site for a game preserve and stands as good a chance as any county of getting such a preserve was the chief thought brought before Chamber of Commerce members and interested sportsmen who attended the C. of C. meeting in the basement of the U. B. church Thursday night when talks were made by Hon. I. S. Meyers of Akron, chairman of the Fish and Game Division of the Department of Agriculture, A. C. Baxter, Chief of the Bureau of Fish and Game, U. S. Fish and Game, J. W. Stuber, Assistant Chief of Columbus, and Frank Voorhees, Deputy Game Protector with headquarters here.

These men brought before the men and women present the value of a game preserve in the county and what a monument it would be to future generations, the game farm being the means of preserving the wild life so there will be game for coming generations.

Alfred H. T. Bannan who presided as chairman also made remarks that added to the facts set forth by the out of town speakers who stressed the importance of the Scioto county sportsmen working unceasingly for the game refuge.

The meeting was well attended and all present enjoyed the splendid talks made, the only disappointment of the meeting being the failure of the working picture machine to show the seven reels of pictures prepared by the Fish and Game Bureau. After considerable time spent in trying to get the machine to work properly several reels of pictures were shown including "The Game Protectors at Work" and "Making Ohio a Fisherman's Paradise."

Chairman H. T. Bannan introduced Deputy Game Protector Voorhees as the first speaker. He spoke a few minutes telling of the splendid support given him by the sportsmen in this county since he started his work here and also of this county's chance for a game refuge farm.

Mr. Stuber who followed Mr. Voorhees told of an inspection trip he had

taken to the West Side Thursday afternoon where he had seen several tracts of wooded land that would make ideal game farms. He mentioned the Labold and Cunningham lands as being especially suited for wild turkeys, deer and ring-necked pheasants. This game he said would soon overflow, going out into the county and in this way furnish game for Scioto county sportsmen. The white tailed deer would be the deer propagated as it is the only deer that lives near populated centers. He added that the wild life was given in trust by the Creator and that it was up to this generation to take care of this wild life and preserve it for future generations.

Chairman Bannan before introducing Mr. Baxter told of how hunting brought the man and boy together and what a good thing it would be to have game right here in the county.

Chief Baxter in taking the floor told of being sixteen years in the Fish and Game Department. He said that the chief work of the Bureau the last few weeks had been the fighting of legislation that is meant to harm the Department and the future of fish and game work in Ohio. He explained that the Bill the Bureau has before the Senate for a 50 cent license for fishermen each year would add \$250,000

which would be used for the building of fifteen hatcheries in fifteen counties. He also spoke of the Bill prepared to provide for the purchase of suitable land for game preserves. He spoke of Scioto county's chance of getting a game farm and said that he would do his part in seeing that Scioto county got it. Mr. Baxter also spoke of the game farm at Wellington and fish hatcheries at other places in the state. His closing remarks were complimentary to Mr. Voorhees and the sportsmen of this county. Mr. Baxter said there had been a time when Scioto county gave him more trouble than any other county, that more violations were reported here than any other part of the state. Since Mr. Voorhees has come into the midst there has been a decided change. Your county is now as clean as any in the state but this condition has not all been brought about through fear of the law but through the moral support given by the local sportsmen, and you in understanding that we greatly appreciate this support and hope to return the favor in any way we can," concluded Chief Baxter.

Hon. I. S. Meyers who is deeply interested in the fish and game work came to Portsmouth on the 7:30 N. and W. train last night and was driven to the church from the depot.

Mr. Meyers in opening his remarks told of how he had been interested in the work for the last six years and that he had been especially interested in the progress made in the last four years declaring that more was done in this time than in the twenty years before. He told of the establishment of the game farm at Wellington and how the first year it showed a "profit" of \$10,335. That is the game propagated on the farm represented that much money this game represented a profit because it had been propagated and not purchased. He also said that this coming year would see the production of ten million fish in the state hatcheries. "The game farm and hatcheries are run on a business basis and not just for the fun of the thing," said Mr. Meyers.

The speaker also spent some time in telling of the artificial hatchery started in Lake Erie and said that the Bureau is entitled to credit for the releasing of white fish on the lake and streams were about depleted of this fish. This was brought about through the co-operation of the fishermen on Lake Erie. In speaking of the hatchery at Sandusky he said that it had a capacity of a billion eggs and that it was double the size of the National hatchery nearby.

The speaker then said that Ohio has the best department of any state for sportsmen.

What are the reasons that make it the best department of any? For people are one of the reasons. Another is that 100 associations in the state are working for law enforcement. Another reason is that the department is void of politics. There has not been any politics in the Department for the last six years. It is built in loyalty and service and it demands these points of its workers.

Mr. Meyers complimented Mr. Baxter on his service telling of how he certainly earned his promotion to the head of the Department after serving 15 years in the department. "If you can hold this Department out of politics for the next five years or longer you can have as good fishing and hunting in Ohio as there is in Michigan or any other state in the Union," said the speaker.

In concluding Mr. Meyers urged the purchase of private fishing grounds by the state saying that the state should provide playgrounds for its people. He also wanted the fishermen about catching fish during the spawning period that can cast would kill more fish than could be put in one ear to restock a stream or pool. His remarks were well received and his talk greatly enjoyed.

Sale of Men's Neckwear

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Will Deliver Trial Sermons

Rev. P. B. Britton, of Weston, O., has been secured to deliver a trial sermon at the New Boston Christian church, Ohio avenue, next Sunday morning and evening.

SOCIETY

Mrs. Carrie May of Columbus is visiting relatives at Garrison, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Best of Washington street had as guest their son-in-law, Mr. J. LeRoy Elliott of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, who came to attend the funeral of his late mother, Mrs. Ledia Elliot, of McGaw. He left today for his home, where he represents the Toledo Sales Company.

G. D. Jenkins, general superintendent of the Breese Company, spent today in front on business.

Burton Journey celebrated his fifth birthday anniversary Tuesday with a children's party at his home on Eighth street. From three until five o'clock the youngsters took part in games and were later served with refreshments by the host's mother, Mrs. Thomas Journey, assisted by Mrs. Oscar Burkhardt. The guests were Lowell Journey, Mary and Loraine Harris, Martha and June Doty, Charles Pratt, David Gilliland, Ruth Gilliland, Drusie Mulen, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Burkhardt and son, Oscar, Jr., and Mrs. Otis Taylor.

Miss Pauline Worley of Friendship and Miss Anna Sullivan of Bienna Vista have returned to their homes after a visit with Miss Margaret McMahon of Ninth street.

Miss Madeline Inel is home from the Schuster-Martin School of Dramatic Art at Cincinnati, for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Inel, of Fourth street.

The children in "The Theft of the Thistle Down," in charge of Mrs. Katherine Mueller Waldron and Miss Mary Griffin, who are drilling for one of the series of Red Cross playlets, are asked to meet for rehearsal at the High School Saturday morning at 9 o'clock.

Miss Evelyn Wallace, deputy in the office of the clerk of courts, has returned from a trip to Cincinnati.

HISTORICAL WRITER DIES
ASHTABULA, O., February 18.—Dr. Rosetta L. Gilchrist, 70, for many years a practicing physician in Ashtabula, and well known for her historical writings on pioneers of the Western Reserve, died at the home of her daughter in New York, yesterday, according to advices received here today.

DUBLIN, February 18.—An attempt was made by incendiaries to destroy the Earl of Kenmare's house at Charleville, north of Cork today. Considerable damage was done to two rooms on the ground floor by an explosion.

CORK, IRELAND, February 18.—Black and Tans surprised and captured 15 members of the Irish Republican army who were digging trenches near Dunmanway, County Cork.

The Usual Way.
An unreasonable and rather tolerant acquaintance remarks that he has often heard the proverb, "A friend in need is a friend indeed," but he can't see where the truth comes in. He has a friend in need who is always borrowing money from him.

TO INVESTIGATE

The Chamber of Commerce Committee appointed to investigate the street railway situation is composed of R. G. Bryan, chairman; L. M. Doty, Dan W. Conroy, Adam Prick, C. C. Horr, John Millard, Thomas Brand, M. O. Budnit and F. B. M. Corson.

The personnel of the committee was announced when all appointed members had signified their intention of serving on this important body.

The committee at present is busy itself with the street railway legislation presented to City Council.

W. C. Ferguson Is Better

The condition of W. C. Ferguson, 711 Court street, who was injured in a fall with an elevator at the Jones-Ferguson Wholesale Grocery rooms on

Front street Thursday afternoon was much improved Friday at Schirrmann hospital. Mr. Ferguson suffered a scalp wound and three fractured ribs.

Bow Wow! Jada Says To Dog Pound

Jada, general favorite around the Smoke House strolled by the dog pound at the court house Friday and barked at it. There's

a reason. Boys who loaf around the Smoke House pooled their finances and bought Jada a new license tag and she is safe from the dog pound.

MEADOWS IS ON TRIAL

A man who said his name was Clyde Meadows was placed on trial in Greenup Friday afternoon. He is charged with attempting to dynamite the C. and O. Y. M. C. A. in Russell,

Ky. Meadows was arrested several days ago. A stick of dynamite was discharged in the kitchen of the Y. M. C. A. a week ago and considerable damage resulted to the building.

18 Above This Morning

The low temperature recorded Friday morning was 18 degrees above zero, which put a zip in the air far different than the balmy weather which has prevailed the past few days

in this section. The mercury has only touched a lower mark on one or two occasions during the present winter.

TWENTY FOUR YEARS AGO

Miss Katie Meiner and Mr. Clarence Kerebel were married at the bride's home.

ies of musical entertainment. Ben Pratt, Wheelersburg farmer, was the victim of a chicken thief, who took away about seventy fowls from the neighborhood.

Mitchell Fined On One Charge, Is Held On More Serious One

When Clay Mitchell caught his wife walking on the street Thursday evening with Clyde Evans, Nauvoo young man, he attacked Evans and in Municipal court Friday he pleaded guilty to a charge of fighting and was fined \$5 and costs by Judge Small.

The two men recently figured in the raiding of a moonshine still at Mitchell's home at Big Run, West side, and the trouble last night was but a sequel to a row which

started some weeks ago when Mitchell claimed he caught Evans making love to his wife.

Evans was caught at the time of the raid and fined for unlawfully manufacturing liquor but Mitchell escaped. He was taken into custody at the conclusion of the hearing and taken to the county jail by Sheriff Rieley pending his hearing before Judge Small.

Business Trip
Stanton D. Labold and Irving Drew have returned from a business trip to Oak Hill.

Salesman Home
Win. Meyers, a local automobile salesman, is home from a business trip to Cincinnati.

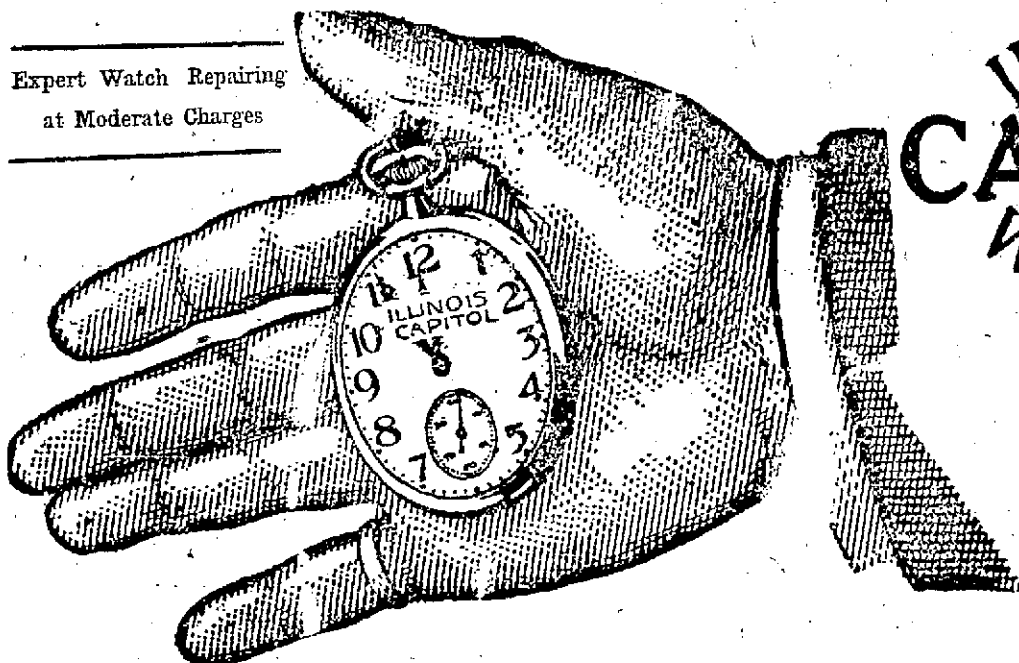
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Wife Gets Divorce
On the grounds of neglect, cruelty and infidelity Lillian Rice, 3331 Summit street, was granted a de-

creed by Judge Thomas in Common Pleas court Friday, divorcing her from Delbert Rice, steelworker, New Boston. The wife told the court that Rice inadequately provided for her and

their child, habitually nagged and quarreled with her, manifested no love for her or their child, ordered her to leave and finally abandoned her last fall, besides, she declared, the defendant lavished his affections on one Gladys Hughes and frequently took the latter to picture shows and to the park.

A number of witnesses testified as to the good character of the wife. They were married September 18, 1918. The plaintiff was also awarded \$15 a week alimony. Attorney B. F. Kimble for plaintiff.

Youth Fined for Drunkenness

Okie Bolton, aged 17 years, son of Geo. Bolton, Dry Run farmer, was adjudged a delinquent in Juvenile court Friday in connection with having become intoxicated on liquor which he claims to have stolen from a relative and Judge Gilliland ordered the youth to pay a fine of \$5 and costs after making him a ward of the court.

Suit To Prevent Closing of Road

Laura Staats, of Friendship, is seeking to prevent Daniel Phillips from closing up or interfering with her traveling a certain road leading from her lands down Worley's Run, West Side, crossing the lands of the defendant, through an action instituted in Common Pleas court Thursday.

Through Attorney T. C. Beatty the plaintiff says the road in question, which she claims has been in general use for more than 21 years, and asserts the roadway is the only outlet from her premises.

She declares that Phillips has closed the roadway and that his action in doing so has resulted in an irreparable damage to her in the sum of \$500, which she demands in addition to asking the court to require him to remove the barrier.

At Otway Today

Attorney A. C. Woodrow went to Brush Creek township Friday to appear in the trial of a replevin suit before Squire Ormy.

Kuhner Case Heard; Continued.

Judge Thomas heard the evidence in the divorce and alimony suit of Mayme Kuhner, 1614 Summit street, against Earl Kuhner, N. & W. air inspector, in Common Pleas court and then continued the case to give counsel an opportunity to make a further investigation.

The hearing was on the petition of the plaintiff in which she charged Kuhner with cruelty and infidelity and his cross petition in which he accused her of neglecting him, their children and their home for the association of another man named Earl Miller, her cousin, of New Holland.

The trial bristled with spicy testimony, and the reading of letters containing endearing terms which the had received from Miller.

The wife in support of her charges told the court that Kuhner beat her and on one occasion in 1903, she claimed, he knocked her senseless. She declared he boasted of his conquests of other women and asserted she found evidence of him having entertained one of his female friends in their home while she was away on a visit.

Kuhner on the stand in his own behalf denied her statements and told of the frequent visits of Miller to his home while he was away at work. He denied receiving a letter last December postmarked Columbus and signed by the initials "M. F." although he admitted knowing a woman named Maud Feigier, who was formerly employed as a clerk at the N. & W. yard office.

They were married December 25, 1905, and have two children, aged 8 and 6 years. Attorneys Blair and Blair for the wife and Attorney B. F. Kimble for Kuhner.

Mrs. Price Seeks Divorce

Alleging neglect and declaring that he has failed to support her ever since their marriage on Jan. 11, 1918, Mollie Price seeks a divorce from Ernest M. Price, now living at E. L. Gay, W. Va., in an action filed in Common Pleas court Friday.

Through Attorney George W. Sheppard the plaintiff complains she has been compelled to look to her parents to provide for her and her child, now aged three months.

Powell Fined; Released.

When Harvey Powell, 27, negro, charged with shooting with intent to kill, appeared before Judge Thomas in Common Pleas court Friday, by consent of Prosecutor Sheppard, he was permitted to plead guilty to the lesser offense of assault and battery.

Judge Thomas assessed a fine of \$25 and costs and released Powell from custody with the admonition to pay up when he gets back to work at the steel plant.

Prosecutor Sheppard stated that Powell was indicted for firing a shot at his stepfather, George Woodson one night early in December during a row at their home on Thirteenth street because the latter had assaulted his, the defendant's mother, and that an investigation disclosed that he was to a great extent justified in doing what he did do.

Scott Taken To Pen

Peter H. Scott, Twentieth street contracting carpenter, who was yesterday sentenced to an indeterminate term in the Ohio penitentiary on a plea of guilty to a charge of shooting with intent to kill Mrs. Isabel Stephenson of Jackson street, was taken to the big prison at Columbus Friday by Deputy Sheriff Harry Dunham.

Fined On Larceny Charge

Grace Johnson, 16, colored, was convicted of a charge of petit larceny in Juvenile court Friday and Judge Gilliland fined her \$10 and costs and committed her to jail in default of payment.

The charge against the woman was made in connection with the theft of wearing apparel from Mrs. Tom Brown, Bolton Johnson, the woman's husband, is serving a jail sentence for obtaining goods under false pretenses on a forged order.

To Meet Paternity Charge

Arrested by Sheriff Charles Pettit at his home near West Union, Elza Brown, aged 20 years, was brought here Thursday, to meet a paternity charge in the court of Squire Marion Pool at New Boston.

The complainant in the case is Lucy Tackett, New Boston unmarried woman, who claims that Brown is the father of her child.

Seeks Divorce and Former Name

A divorce is sought by Nannie Wriggleworth, 708 Seventh street from John Wriggleworth, shoemaker employed at the Salsy factory, in an action filed in Common Pleas court Thursday.

She says they were married Oct. 10, 1916, and she alleges willful absence, declaring that the defendant deserted her without cause in April 1917 and has remained away ever since.

The plaintiff, who sued through Attorney Mark Crawford, also seeks restoration to her former name of Cole.

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Hazelbeck Will Insure You

Clude May, aged 21 years, claiming fronton as his home, who was taken into custody early Friday morning by the police, was plastered with a fine of \$200 and costs by Judge Small this afternoon on his plea of guilty of a charge of gun toting.

Frank Emmert, 28, also hailing from up fronton way, who was with May, was convicted of a charge of loitering and was taxed \$1 and costs.

A Great Mind. To say little and perform much, shows the characteristics of a great mind.—Socrates.

Saw Stars. Dazed Victim (in college boxing class)—Hey, professor, I didn't come here for an astronomy course.—Boston Transcript.

"THE SUFFRAGIST" TO BE FIRST FEMINIST MAGAZINE: MRS. BOECKEL WILL EDIT IT

Mrs. Florence Brewer Boeckel.

The executive committee of the National Woman's party has decided to make "The Suffragist" the first feminist magazine. The aim of the publication will be to discuss various women's problems. Mrs. Florence Brewer Boeckel is the editor. There will be correspondents in all states getting the viewpoint of women in all occupations and parts of the country. An extensive foreign department will also portray women's problems in all parts of the world.

New Directory Is Coming

The Home Telephone Company will issue the names of many thousands within the next ten days will issue of subscribers and will be the a new directory, which will be the largest directory ever issued by plate in every detail. It will contain the company.

McHenry Signs Contract

Austin McHenry, one of the star outfielders of the St. Louis Cardinals, has signed his 1921 contract. He received a fine increase in salary by Manager Branch Rickey. McHenry will report in two weeks for spring practice.

Motorists Reach Los Angeles

Albert Xuenger, Joe Kerrigan and Perry and Charles McAfee, who left here four weeks ago for Los Angeles in Mr. Xuenger's Chandler touring car, have finally reached their destination. They covered over 3,000 miles and despite the fact that they encountered some wretched roads in Kansas and Missouri they did not have the slightest accident.



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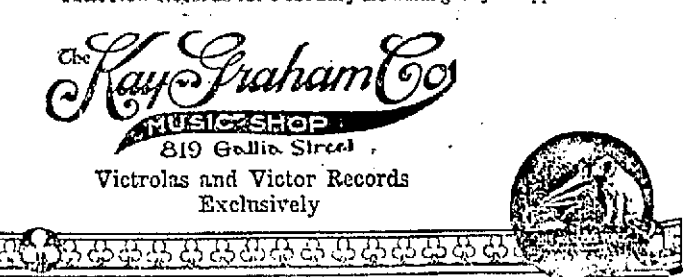
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—OLD LADY MANDLE

Old Lady Mandle was a queen. Her domain, undisputed, was a six-room flat on South Park Avenue, Chicago. Her faithful servant was Anna, an ancient person of Polish nationality, bad teeth, and a cunning hand at cookery. As ladies-in-waiting, flatterers, and jealous admirers, she had Mrs. Lamb, Mrs. Brunswick, and Mrs. Wormser, themselves old ladies and erstwhile queens, now deposed. And the crown jewel in old lady Mandle's diadem was my son Hugo.

Mrs. Mandle was not only a queen but a spoiled old lady. And not only a spoiled old lady but a confessedly spoiled old lady. Brindling and wagging her white head she admitted her pampered state. It was less an admission than a boast. Her son Hugo had spoiled her. This, too, she acknowledged. "My son, my son," she would say, and there was no proper humbleness in her voice. Though he was her only son she never spoke of him merely as "Hugo," or "my son," but always as "My son Hugo." She rolled the three words on her tongue as though they were delicious morsels from which she would extract all possible savour and sweetness. And when she did this you could almost hear the click of the glinting spines of Mrs. Lamb, Mrs. Brunswick, and Mrs. Wormser. For they envied her her son Hugo, and resented him as only three old ladies could who were living, tolerated and dependent, with their married sons and their sons' wives.

My son Hugo had no wife. Not only that, Hugo Mandle, at forty, had no thought of marrying. Not that there was anything austere or saturnine about Hugo. He made you think, somehow, of a cherubic, jovial monk. It may have been his rosy rotundity, or perhaps the way in which his hair, which had vanished altogether at the top of his head, so as to form a tonsure, Hugo Mandle, kindly, generous, shrewd, spoiled his old mother in the way in which women of seventy, whose middle life has been hard, like to be spoiled.

In the cool of the evening you saw them taking a slow and solemn walk together, his hand on her arm. He surprised her with matinee tickets in his pocket, telling her to treat one of her friends. He painted her cheeks and teased her with elephantine playfulness, and told her that she looked like a chicken in that hat. Oh, yes, indeed! Mrs. Mandle was a spoiled old lady.

Life had not always been so plumply upholstered for old lady Mandle. She had known its sharp corners and cruel edges. At twenty-three, a strong, healthy, fun-loving girl, she had married Herman Mandle, a poor man, twenty-seven years her senior. In their twenty-five years of married life together little Mandle never had had a five-cent piece that she could call her own. Her husband was reputed to be wealthy, and probably was, according to the standards of that day. There were three children: Elita, the oldest; a second child, a girl, who died; and Hugo. Her husband's miserliness, and the grind of the planning, scheming, and contriving needed to clothe and feed her two children would have crushed the spirit of many women. But hard and grim as her old husband was he never quite succeeded in subduing her courage or her love of fun. The habit of heart-breaking economy clung to her, however, even when days of plenty became hers. It showed in little hoarding ways: in the saving, or burned matches, or bits of ribbon, or scraps of lace, or the very furniture and linen, as though, when these were gone, no more would follow.

Ten years after her marriage her husband retired from active business. He hustled himself now with his real estate, with mysterious papers, documents, agents. He was forever poking around the house at hours when a household should be motionless, grumbling about the waste of time there was in seeing into boxes, prying into corners, never meant for masculine eyes. Elita, the girl, was like him, sharp-nosed, ferret-faced, stingy. The mother and the boy turned to each other. In a wordless way they grew very close, there two. It was as if they were silently matched against the father and daughter.

certain patience and courage, though he never attained her iron indomitability.

It had been a terrible struggle. His salary at twenty-three was most modest, but he was getting on. He intended to be a buyer, some day, and take trips abroad to the great Austrian and French and English china houses.

The day after the funeral he said to his mother: "Well, now we've got to get Elita married. But married or not, somebody's got to take care of her."

"You're a good son, Hugo," Mrs. Mandle had said. "It isn't that. If she's comfortable and happy—or as happy as she knows how to be—she'll never come back. That's what I want. There's debts to pay, too. But I guess we'll get along."

They did get along, but at snail's pace. There followed five years of economy so rigid as to make the most seem prodigal. Elita, the acid-tongued, ferret-faced, was not the sort to go off without the impetus of a dowry. The man for Elita, the shrew, must be kindly, long-suffering, subdued—and in need of a start. He was. They managed a very decent trousseau and the miracle of five thousand dollars in cash. Every penny of the trousseau and every penny in the dowry represented incredible sacrifice and self-denial on the part of mother and brother. Elita went off to her new home in Pittsburg with her husband. She had expressed thanks for nothing and had bickered with her mother to the last, but even Hugo knew that her suit and hat and gloves and shoes were right. She was almost handsome in them, the unwanted flush of excitement coloring her cheeks, brightening her eyes.

The next day Hugo came home with a new hat for his mother, a four-pound steak, and the announcement that he was going to take music lessons. A new era had begun in the life of Ma Mandle.

Two people, no matter how far apart in years or tastes, cannot struggle side by side, like that. In a common cause, without forcing between them a bond of indissolubility. Hugo, at twenty-eight, had the serious mien of a man of forty. At forty he was to revert to his slighted twenty-eight, but he did not know that then. His music lessons were his one protest against a beauty-starved youth. He played rather surprisingly well the cheap music of the day, wailing his head (already threatening baldness) in a professional vaudeville manner, and squinting up through his clear emerald eyes. His mother, seated in the room, sewing, would say: "Play that again, Hugo. That's beautiful. What's the name of that?" He would tell her for the dozenth time, and play it over, she humming, off-key, in his wake. The relation between them was more than that of mother and son. It was a complex thing that had in it something of the relation between a mother and a young man who is a little like a child she would push him away with little futile shoves, put her hand to his forehead, and pretend annoyance. "Go away, you big rough thing!" she would cry. But all unconsciously she got from it a thrill that her husband's withered kisses had never given her.

Twelve years had passed since Elita's marriage. Hugo's salary was a comfortable thing now, even in these days of soaring prices. The habit of economy, so long a necessity, had become almost a vice in old lady Mandle. Hugo, with the elasticity of younger years, learned to spend freely, but his mother's thrift and shrewdness automatically swelled his savings. When he was on the road, as he sometimes was for weeks at a time, she spent only a little of the generous sum he left. She and Anna ate those kitcheny meals that obtain in a modest household. When Hugo was home the table was abundant and even choice though Ma Mandle often went blocks out of her way to save three cents on a bunch of new beets. So strong is usage. She would no more have wasted his money than she would have knifed him in the dark. She ran the household carefully, but her was the old-fashioned, busy way. Sometimes Hugo used to protest, against at some petty act of parsimony.

"But, Ma, what do you want to scrimp like that for? You're the worst tightwad I ever saw. Here, take this ten and blow it. You're worse than the squirrels in the park, darned if you ain't!" She couldn't resist the temptation. She could resist showing it, next day, to Mrs. Brunswick, Mrs. Lamb, and Mrs. Wormser. "How my son Hugo spoils me! He takes out a ten-dollar bill, and he stuffs it into my hand and says: 'Ma, you're the worst tightwad I ever saw.' She laughed contentedly. But she did not blow the ten. As she grew older Hugo regularly hid to her about the price of theatre tickets, fares, luxuries. Her carefully increased with age, shrewd though she naturally was.

When he surprised her with an evening at the theatre she would fuss before her mirror for a full hour. "Sons gal!" Hugo would shout when finally she emerged. "Everybody'll be asking who the old man is you're out with. First thing I know I'll have a police woman after me for going around with a chicken!" "I don't talk foolishness!" But she would flush like a bride. She liked a musical comedy with a lot of girls in it and a good-looking tenor. Next day you would hear her humming the catch-tune in an airy falsetto. Sometimes she wondered about him. She was, after all, a rather wise old lady, and she knew something of men. She had a secret horror of his becoming what she called fast.

"Why don't you take out some nice

young girl instead of an old woman like me, Hugo? Any girl would be only too glad." But in her heart was a dread. He thought of Mrs. Lamb, Mrs. Wormser, and Mrs. Brunswick.

So they had gone on, year after year, in the comfortable flat on South Park Avenue. A pleasant thing, life.

And then Hugo married, suddenly, breathlessly, as a man of forty does. Afterward, Ma Mandle could recall almost nothing from which she might have taken warning. That was because he had said so little. She remembered that he had come home to dinner one evening and had spoken admiringly of a woman buyer from Omaha. He did not often speak of business.

"She buys like a man," he had said at dinner. "I never saw anything like it. I know what she wanted and got it. She bought all my best numbers of silk hosiery. I sold her a four-figure lot in half an hour. And no fuss. Everything right to the point and when I asked her out to dinner she turned me down. Good looking, too. She's coming in again tomorrow for novelties."

The thing which he went West on business. When he came home he dropped his bag in the hall, strode into his mother's bedroom, and stood before her like a schoolboy. "Lil and I are going to be married," he said.

Ma Mandle had looked up at him, her face blank. "Lil?" "Sure, I told you all about her." He hadn't. He had merely thought about her for three weeks, to the exclusion of everything else. "Ma, you'll love her. She knows all about you. She's the grandest girl in the world. Say, I don't know why she ever fell for a dud like me. Well, don't look so stunned. I guess you kind of suspected, huh?"

"But who?" "I never thought she'd look at me. Earned her own good salary, and strictly business, but she's a real woman. Says she wants her own home

and—n everything. Says every normal woman does. Says—"

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They were married the following month.

Hugo sub-leased the flat on South Park and took an eight-room apartment farther east. Gone was Polish Anna, with her damp calico and her ubiquitous rail and dripping rag and her gurgles. In her place was a trim Swede who wore white kid shoes in the afternoon and gray dresses and cobweb aprons.

But Lil Hugo thought her very beautiful, which was true. A plump, rosy, full-bodied woman, exquisitely neat, with a clear, firm skin, bright brown eyes, an unerring instinct for clothes, and a shrewd business head. Hugo's devotion amounted to worship.

He used to watch her at her toilet in their rose and black mahogany front bedroom. Her plump white shoulders gleamed from pink satin straps. She smiled absently at a sachet and a certain heady scent she affected. Seated before the mirror, she stared steadily at herself with a concentration, such as an artist bestows upon a work that depends for its perfection upon nuances of light and shade. Everything about her shone and glittered. Her pink nails were like polished coral. Her hair gleamed in smooth undulations, not a strand out of place. Her skin was clear and smooth as a baby's. Her hands were plump and white. She was always getting what she called a facial, from which process she would emerge looking pinker and creamier than ever. Lil knew when camellias were edged with flit, and when with lilies. Instinctively she sensed when Lil was to be superseded by four-lafes. The contents of her scented bureau drawers needed only a dab of whipped cream on top to look as if they might have been eaten as something souful.

"How do I look in it, Hugo? Do you like it?" was a question that rose daily to her lips. A new hat, or frock, or collar, or negligee. Not that she was unduly extravagant. She knew values, and profited by her knowledge. "Let's see. Turn around. It looks great on you. Yes. That's all right." He liked to fancy himself a connoisseur in women's clothes and to

prove it he sometimes brought home an article of feminine apparel glimpsed in a shop window or showcase, but Lil soon put a stop to that. She had her own ideas on clothes. He turned to jewellery. On Lil's silken bosom reposed a diamond-and-platinum pin, the size and general contour of a fish-knife. She had a dinner ring that crowded the second knuckle, and on her plump wrist sparkled an oblong so encrusted with diamonds that its utilitarian dial was almost lost.

It wasn't a one-sided devotion, however. Lil knew much about men, and she had an instinct for making them comfortable. It is a gift that makes up for myriad minor shortcomings. She had a way of laying his clean things out on the bed—fresh linen, clean white socks (Hugo was addicted to white socks and tan, low-cut shoes), silk shirt, immaculate handkerchief. When he came in at the end of a hard day downtown—hot, fagged, sleepy—she saw to it that the bathroom was his own for an hour so that he could bathe, shave, powder, dress, and emerge refreshed to eat his good dinner in comfort. Lil was always waiting for him cool, interested, sweet-smelling.

Ma Mandle's reign was over.

To Mrs. Lamb, Mrs. Brunswick, and Mrs. Wormser, Ma Mandle stood as a rival. Their eager, restless questions pierced her like knives, but she made placid answer: "Young folks are young folks. They do things different. I got my way. My son's wife has got hers." Their quick ears caught the familiar phrase.

"It's hard, just the same," Mrs. Wormser insisted, "after you've been boss all these years to have somebody else step in and shove you out of the way. Don't I know?"

"I'm glad to have a little rest. Marking and housekeeping nowadays is no snap, with the prices what they are. Anybody that wants the pleasure is welcome."

But they knew, the three. There was, in Ma Mandle's tone, a hollow pretence that deceived no one.

marketing but Mrs. Mandle had declined, acidly. "Oh, no," she had said. "This is your household now."

But she never failed to inspect the groceries as they lay on the kitchen table after delivery. She would press a wise and disloyal thumb into a head of lettuce; poke a pot-roast with disapproving finger; turn a plump chicken over and thump it down with a look that was pregnant with meaning.

Ma Mandle, disappointed of many things. Of Lil's silken, lacy lingerie, of her social activities, of what she termed her wastefulness. Lil wore the fewest possible undergarments, according to the fashion of the day, and she worried, good-naturedly, about additional plainness that was the result of Hugo and of fifth food. She was addicted to some parties at the homes of married women of her own age and station—pretty, well-dressed, over-indulged women who regularly ate too much. They served a mayonnaise chicken salad, and little hot buttery biscuits, and strong coffee with sugar and cream, and there were dishes of salted almonds, and great shining, oily, black rice olives, and a heavy rich dessert. When she came home she ate nothing.

"I couldn't eat a bite of dinner," she would say. "Let me tell you what we had." She would come to the table in one of her silken, lace-bedecked, gowns and talk animatedly to Hugo while he ate his dinner and eyed her appreciatively as she sat there leaning one elbow on the cloth, the sleeve fallen back so that you saw her plump white forearm. She kept her clear, rosy skin in spite of the pastry and sweets and the indolent life, and even the laxative or powder with which she was forever dabbling her face had not conformed its texture.

Hugo, man-like, was unconscious of the undercurrent of animosity between the two women. He was very happy. He only knew that Lil understood about clear ashes; that she didn't mind if a pillow wasn't plumped and patted after his Sunday nap; on the davenport; that she never complained

to him about the shortcomings of the little Swede, as Ma Mandle had about Polish Anna. Even at housecleaning time, which Ma Mandle had always treated as a sacred thing, were as smooth-running and peaceful as at ordinary times. Just a little bare, jangling, as to floors, and smelling of cleanliness. Lil applied businesslike methods to the conduct of her house, and they were successful in spite of Ma Mandle's steady efforts to block them.

Old lady Mandle did not mean to be cruel. She only thought that she was protecting her son's interests. She did not know that the wise men had a definite name for the mental processes which caused her, perversely, to do just the thing which she knew she should not do.

Hugo and Lil went out a great deal in the evening. They liked the theatre, restaurant life, gaiety. Hugo learned to dance and became marvelously expert at it, as does every first man.

"Come on and go out with us this evening, Mother," Lil would say. "Sure!" Hugo would agree, heartily. "Come along, Ma. We'll show you some night life."

"I don't want to go," Ma Mandle would mutter. "I'm better off at home. You enjoy yourself better without an old woman dragging along."

"That being true, they saved it was not, and prevent their saving it. In the end she went, grudgingly. But her old eyes would droop; the late supper would disagree with her; the noise, the music, the laughter, and brilliant talk bewildered her. She did not understand the banter, and resented it.

Next day, in the park, she would boast of her life of gaiety to the vaguely suspicious three.

Lil refused to go out with them. She stayed in her room a good deal, fussing about, arranging bureau drawers already geometrically precise, winding endless old ribbons, ripping the trimming off of hats long past and retreating them with odds and ends and scraps of feathers and flowers.

Hugo and Lil used to ask her to go with them to the movies, but they liked the second show at eight-thirty, while she preferred the earlier one at seven. She grew sleepier, early, though she often lay awake for hours after composing herself to sleep. She would watch the picture absently, but when she stepped, blinking, into the

bright glare of Fifty-third Street, she always had a sense of let-down, or depression.

A wise old lady of seventy, who could not apply her wisdom for her road. A rather lonely old lady, with hardening arteries and a dilating heart. An increasingly fault-finding old lady. Even Hugo began to notice it. She would wait for him to come home and then, motioning him mysteriously into her own room, would pour a tale of fancied insult into his ear.

"I ran a household and brought up a family before she was born. I don't have to be told what's what. I may be an old woman but I'm not so old that I can't sit and let my own son be made a fool of. One girl isn't enough, she's got to have a wash woman. And now a wash woman isn't enough she's got to have a woman to clean one day a week."

An hour later, from the front bedroom, where Hugo was dressing, would come the low murmur of conversation. Lil had reached the complaining point, gounded by much repetition.

The attitude of the two women distressed and bewildered Hugo. He was a simple soul, and this was a complex situation. His mind leaped from mother to wife, and back again, joltingly. After all, one woman at a time is all that any man can handle successfully.

"What's got into you women-folks?" he would say. "Always quarrelling. Why can't you get along?" One night after dinner Lil said, quite innocently, "Mother, we haven't a decent picture of you. Why don't you have one taken? In your black lace."

Old lady Mandle broke into sudden fury. "I guess you think I'm going to let a picture be put on the piano after I'm gone, huh? That's my dear mother, that's gone. Well, I don't have any picture taken. You can think of me the way I was when I was alive."

The thing grew and swelled and took on bitterness as it progressed. Lil's face grew strangely flushed and little veins stood out on her temples. All the pent-up bitterness that had been seething in Ma Mandle's mind broke bounds now, and welled to her lips. Accusation, denial, vituperation, re-ter.

"You'll be happy when I'm gone!" "It is my fault!"

"It's the ones that are used to nothing that always want the most. They don't know where to sleep. When you were working in Omaha—"

"The salary I gave up to marry your son was more money than you ever saw."

And through it all, like a leit-motiv, ran Hugo's attempt at pacification: "Now, Ma, don't. Lil. You'll only excite yourself. What's got into you two women?" It was after dinner. In the end Ma Mandle slumped out of the house, hatless. Her old legs were trembling. Her hands shook. It was a hot June night. She felt as if she were light as a feather. In her frantic mind there was even thought of self-destruction. There were thousands of factor cars streaming by. The glare of their lamps and the smell of the gasoline blinded and stifled her. Once, at a crossing, she almost stumbled in front of an on-rushing car. The curses of the startled driver, sounded in her terrified ears after she had made the opposite curb and on for what seemed to her to be a long time, with plodding, heavy steps. She was not conscious of being tired. She came to a park bench and sat down, feeling very abused, and lonely and agonized. This was what she had come to, in her old days. It was for this you bore children, and brought them up and sacrificed for them. How right that was—Mrs. Lamb, Mrs. Brunswick, Mrs. Wormser. Unconsidered, in the way.

By degrees she grew calmer. Her brain cooled as her fevered old body lost the heat of anger. Lil had looked kind of sick. Perhaps . . . and how worried Hugo had looked. . . . Feeling suddenly impelled she got up from the bench and started toward home. Her walk, which had seemed interminable, had now lasted scarcely fifteen minutes. In the park scarcely fifteen minutes. Altogether her fight had been, perhaps, an hour in duration.

She had her latchkey in her pocket. She opened the door softly. The place was in darkness. Voices from the front bedroom, and the sound of someone sobbing, as though spent. Old lady Mandle's face, unadorned, glared a blue on it, turned out the light, and went into the empty front room. With a pin from the tray on the dresser she fastened the note to Lil's pillow, high up, where she must see it the instant she turned on the light. Then she scuttled down the hall to her room again.

She felt the heat terribly. She would sit by the window again. All the blood in her body seemed to be pounding in her head. . . . pounding in her head. . . . At ten Hugo and Lil came in, softly. Hugo tiptoed down the hall, as was his wont, and listened. The room was in darkness. "Sleeping, Ma?" he whispered. He could not see the white-gowned figure sitting peacefully by the window, and there was no answer. He tiptoed with painful awkwardness up the hall again.

"She's asleep, all right. I didn't think she'd get to sleep so early on a scorching like this." Lil turned on the light in her room. "It's too hot to sleep," she said. She began to doze languidly. Her eyes fell on the scrap of paper pinned to her pillow. She went over to it, curiously, leaned over, read it.

"Oh, look, Hugo!" She gave a little tremendous laugh that was more than half sob. He came over to her and read it, his arm around her shoulder.

"My son Hugo and my daughter Lil are the best son and daughter in the world."

A sudden hot haze before his eyes blotted out the words as he finished reading them.

"I know it. I feel better now. I

wish crying could make it all right. I'm sorry. She's so old, dear. That's the trouble. They live in the past and they expect us to live in the past with them. You were a good son to her, Hugo. That's why you make such a wonderful husband. Too good, maybe. You've spoiled her, and now we both want all of you."

Hugo was silent a moment. He was not a quick-thinking man. "A husband belongs to his wife," he said, simply. "He's his mother's son, by accident of birth. But he's his wife's husband by choice, and deliberately."

But she laughed again at that. "It isn't as easy as that, sweetheart. If it was there'd be no jokes in the funny papers. My poor boy! And just now, too, when you're so worried about business."

"Business'll be all right, Lil. Trade'll open up next winter. It's got to. We've kept going on the Japanese and English stuff. But if the French and Austrian factories start running we'll have a whirlwind year. It hasn't been for you this last year I don't know how I'd have stood the strain. No importing, and the business just keeping its head above water. But you were right, honey. We've weathered the worst of it now."

"I'm glad you didn't tell Mother about it. She'd have worried herself sick. If she had known we both had every cent we had into the business—"

"We'll get it back ten times over. You'll see."

"The sound of footsteps. 'I wonder where she went. She oughtn't to be out alone. I'm kind of worried about her. Hugo. Don't you think you'd better—'"

Ma Mandle opened the front door and then slammed it, ostentatiously, and then she had just come in. "That you, Ma?" called Hugo.

He turned on the hall light. She stood there, blinking, a bent, pathetic little figure. Her eyes were averted. "Are you all right, Ma? We began to worry about you."

"All right. I'm going to bed."

He made a clumsy, masculine pretence at heartiness. "Lil and I are going over to the drug store for a soda. It's so hot and know we both need it."

Lil joined him in the doorway of the bedroom. Her eyes were redd-rimmed behind the powder that she had hastily dabbed on, but she smiled bravely.

"Come on, Mother," she said. "I'll cool you off."

But Ma Mandle shook her head. "I'm better off at home. You run along, you two."

"That was all. But the two standing there caught something in her tone. Something new, something gentle. Something wise."

She went on down the hall to her room. She took off her clothes, and hung them away, neatly. But once in her nightgown she did not get into bed. She sat there, in the chair by the window. Old lady Mandle had it so in her seventy and had acquired much wisdom. One cannot live to be seventy without having experienced almost everything in life. But to crystallize that experience of a long lifetime into terms that would express the meaning of life—this she had never tried to do. She could not do it now, for that matter. But she groped around, painfully, in her mind. There had been heretofore Hugo. And now Hugo's wife and the child to be. They were the ones that counted, now. That was the law of life. She did not put it into words. But something of this she thought as she sat there in her plain white nightgown, her scant white lilies pinned in a neat loop at the top of her head. Selfishness. That was it. They called it love, but it was selfishness. She must tell them about it tomorrow—Mrs. Lamb, Mrs. Brunswick, and Mrs. Wormser. Only yesterday Mrs. Brunswick had waxed bitter because her daughter-in-law had let a moth get into her husband's winter suit.

"I never had a moth in my house!" Mrs. Brunswick had declared. "Never. But nowadays housekeeping is nothing. A suit is ruined. What does my son's wife care? I never had a moth in my house!"

Ma Mandle chuckled to herself there in the darkness. "I bet she did. She forgets. We all forget." Now and then there was a wisp of breeze from the lake, but not often. . . . How red Lil's eyes had been. . . . poor girl. Moved by a sudden impulse, Ma Mandle thrust down the hall in her bare feet, found a scrap of paper, and with a trembling hand scribbled a line on it, turned out the light, and went into the empty front room. With a pin from the tray on the dresser she fastened the note to Lil's pillow, high up, where she must see it the instant she turned on the light. Then she scuttled down the hall to her room again.

She felt the heat terribly. She would sit by the window again. All the blood in her body seemed to be pounding in her head. . . . pounding in her head. . . . At ten Hugo and Lil came in, softly. Hugo tiptoed down the hall, as was his wont, and listened. The room was in darkness. "Sleeping, Ma?" he whispered. He could not see the white-gowned figure sitting peacefully by the window, and there was no answer. He tiptoed with painful awkwardness up the hall again.

"She's asleep, all right. I didn't think she'd get to sleep so early on a scorching like this."

Lil turned on the light in her room. "It's too hot to sleep," she said. She began to doze languidly. Her eyes fell on the scrap of paper pinned to her pillow. She went over to it, curiously, leaned over, read it.

"Oh, look, Hugo!" She gave a little tremendous laugh that was more than half sob. He came over to her and read it, his arm around her shoulder.

"My son Hugo and my daughter Lil are the best son and daughter in the world."

A sudden hot haze before his eyes blotted out the words as he finished reading them.

"I know it. I feel better now. I



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Fancy 27 inch Plaid Ginghams, per yard	15c
27 inch Ginghams, in new Spring plaids, solid colors and shirting stripes, per yard	20c
32 inch Plaid Ginghams	27c
32 inch Tissue Gingham, special	50c
36 inch Cretonnes, new patterns, in rich floral and figured effects, special, per yard	20c to 50c
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33 inch Linen finish Indian Head, per yard	22c
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Red Star Diaper Cloth, per yard	18c
Pillow Cases 36x42, each	25c
81x90 Seamless Sheets, each	\$1.39
Table Oil Cloth, white and colors, per yard	39c
Cotton Batting 10 oz. good weight cotton	14c
2 pound Cotton Batt, special	75c

Fancy Turkish Towels, large size	48c
White Turkish Towels, large size	25c
Extra heavy Turkish Towel, 20x45 inches	48c
Huck Towel, good quality, special	10c
Large size Huck Towel, 25c value	18c
Hemmed Napkins, dice pattern, per dozen	90c
Cotton Crepe, all colors, per yard	25c
Fancy Serpentine Crepe, per yard	35c
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Income Tax Facts You Should Know

Many inquiries from newly weds as to the amount of taxable income for the year 1920 are received by the Bureau of Internal Revenue. In many cases both parties were employed up to the wedding date and the point on which advice is sought is whether the joint income must be shown. The ruling of the Bureau of Internal Revenue is that if they were married on or before December 31, 1920, a return must be made of their combined income if it equaled or exceeded \$2,000. Separate returns of income of each or a return of their combined income may be filed. If the net income of husband or wife exceeded \$5,000, separate returns should be filed for the purpose of correctly computing the surtax, which applies only to income in excess of that amount.

The newly weds are entitled to a \$2,000 exemption plus the additional \$200 for each dependent under 18 years of age, or who is incapable of self-support because mentally or physically defective. This exemption may be divided in any proportion in separate returns of husband and wife if filed that way.

"And remember that March 15, 1921, is the final date for filing returns and payment of one-fourth of the amount of income tax due" is the admonition of the Bureau of Internal Revenue.

Kickers Vs. Knockers

The Kickers and Knockers of the Soloville M. E. Sunday school Volley Ball League played the first four games of a 15 game series last night, each team winning two games. The following lineups were used:

Kickers—Bentley, C. Brock, Ketter, W. W. Wals, Garber, and Bentine. Knockers—Stewart, Goodman, Lee, Hacquard, Towell, Apel and Brock. The same teams will play their next three games Thursday night Feb. 22.

Supply Pastor Is Coming To Kendall-Ave Church

A supply pastor has been secured for Kendall Avenue Baptist church, the new minister being Rev. W. H. Bishop of Flint, Mich. Rev. Bishop arriving here Thursday to begin his work this coming Sunday morning. The church has been without a pastor since Rev. W. M. Hart left a year ago last fall to accept a pulpit at Cochranton, Pa.

Rev. Bishop is a young man and a graduate of Newton College of Massachusetts. He enlisted in the Canadian Army as a man of the ranks served two years, most of the time being spent in France. He was gassed twice and since his return to this country has been doing considerable outdoor work for the benefit of his health.

Should Rev. Bishop's work meet with the approval of the congregation he will be extended a call to accept the local charge.

No Doubt About His Love.

Bees—"Are you quite sure he loves you?" June—"Love me? Why, he went down on his knees in damp moss with new white flannel trousers on to propose to me."—Boston Globe.

Real Meaning of Thrift.
The thrifty man is not necessarily a miser. Thrift means more than hoarding dollars. It embraces not only spending less than we receive, but the investment of our savings in enterprises which yield returns not only to ourselves, but to the public at large.

Becoming Overpopulated.

Johnny, who already had two younger sisters, had been promised a baby brother, much to his delight. When the eventful day arrived the nurse told him the stork had brought another darling baby sister. Poor Johnny was disheartened. Shortly afterward his father found him alone in his bedroom and asked him how he liked his new sister. "Aw," said Johnny, hopelessly, "it's gettin' too crowded around here!"

Lodge News

Pythian Sisters a Social Lodge
At a special meeting of Ellrose Lodge, Pythian Sisters last night, it was decided that the regular meeting time would be Thursday of each week at 7:30 p. m. By a vote of the membership it was also decided to have the lodge a social organization instead of a beneficial or insurance organization. Most Excellent Chief Mrs. Jennie Kahl appointed a laws committee, consisting of Mrs. Dora Laffier, Mrs. Leo Grimm and Mrs. Elizabeth Lutz. The dues and initiation fee were also fixed.

S. of V. Meet Tonight

The regular meeting of the Sons of Veterans will be held tonight in the basement of the public library.

Five Candidates Obligated

Miss Pearl Adams, Mrs. Stella Smith, Mrs. James McGinnis, Mrs. Margaret Hoerdel and Mrs. Nettie Corbitt were candidates obligated at the regular meeting of Delta Camp No. 2526 Royal Neighbors of America last night. These candidates will be initiated when a big class is taken in later. District Deputy Mrs. Eliza Kelley was present and made an interesting talk on the good of the order. She is working here this month in the interest of Delta Camp's membership.

M. W. of A. Meets Tonight

Tonight the weekly meeting of the Modern Woodmen of America will be held in Ben Hur Hall. Last night the members enjoyed their semi-monthly dance in Ben Hur Hall with Tourge's orchestra furnishing the music. There was a good attendance. The committee in charge of the dances is composed of L. A. Zucker, Dana Craigie and Guy Askey.

O. R. C. Auxiliary Had Social Meeting
The Ladies Auxiliary of the Order of Railway Conductors held a social meeting in their hall last night. The O. R. C. members and their families being invited guests. Mrs. Anna Lynch, Grand Deputy of Lima, was present.

F. O. E. To Hold Dances

At Thursday night's meeting of the Eagles River City Aerie No. 567, it was decided to hold a series of Wednesday night dances starting March 2. Mrs. Bertha Englebrecht has been engaged as teacher.

Four candidates, E. A. Chapman, John Warden, Elva Reed and Earl Dunham were initiated and two applications were received. At next Thursday night's meeting State Secretary D. L. Flynnman, of Columbus is expected to be present to deliver an address.

D. of A. Meet Tonight

White Lily Council, Daughters of America, will hold their weekly meeting tonight in their hall, Court and Fifth streets.

COBB BELIEVES HE CAN CORRECT EHMKE'S WEAKNESS AND MAKE HIM A BIG STAR



Ty Cobb, looking over a pitcher's shoulder, left, and Howard Ehmke.

Ty Cobb is confident that Howard Ehmke, young Tiger twirler, will become the greatest pitcher in baseball. After Ty gave the slim slinger from Silver Creek some advice on what to do when he had two strikes on the hitters, Howard turned to and won eight out of nine games last summer. Ehmke is bigger, heavier and stronger than ever this year and Cobb declares confidence in his own ability is all he needs to make him a world's sensation. Cobb ought to be able to give Howard good dope on how to pitch to batters. For Cobb has made a study of hitting—as his record will testify.

Wife Of Slain Man Sues Gun User For \$25,000

According to the Vancouver Sun, Mrs. Bertram brought suit through Attorney Judge J. S. Pugh. It will be remembered that Bertram died in Hempstead hospital Friday, Dec. 23 as the result of the bullet wound received when he called at a relative's home to leave a key for his wife.

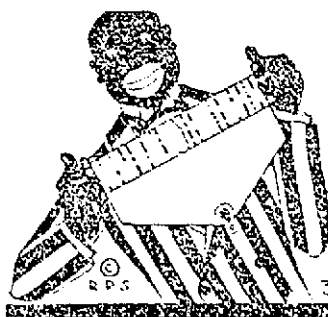
ward to a splendid presentation of this wonderful masterpiece. Portsmouth lovers of music, and they are many, will look forward with pleasure to this great program.

HANDEL'S MESSIAH TO BE SUNG

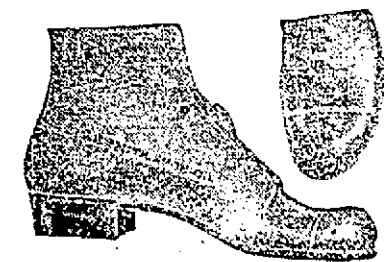
A choir of sixteen solo voices will render Handel's great oratorio, "The Messiah," at the First Presbyterian church Sunday evening, February 28.

In Plumbing Business.

Charles Hubman has again engaged in the plumbing business. He will do all kinds of work in this line. He now resides on the Boulevard.



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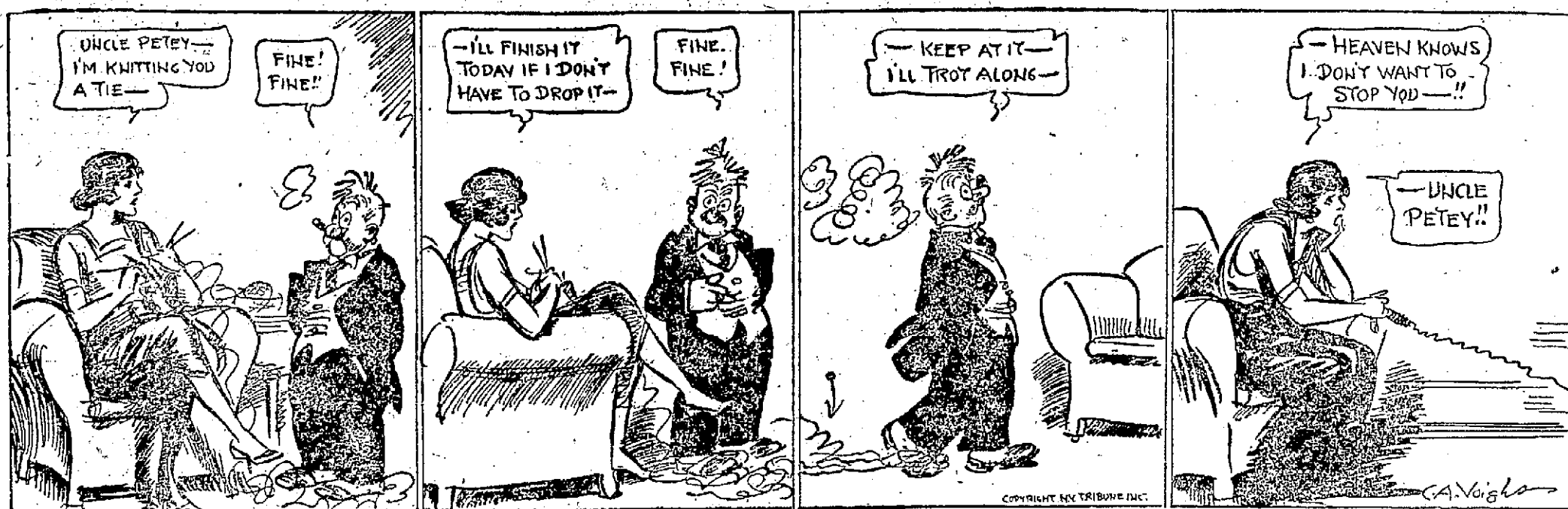
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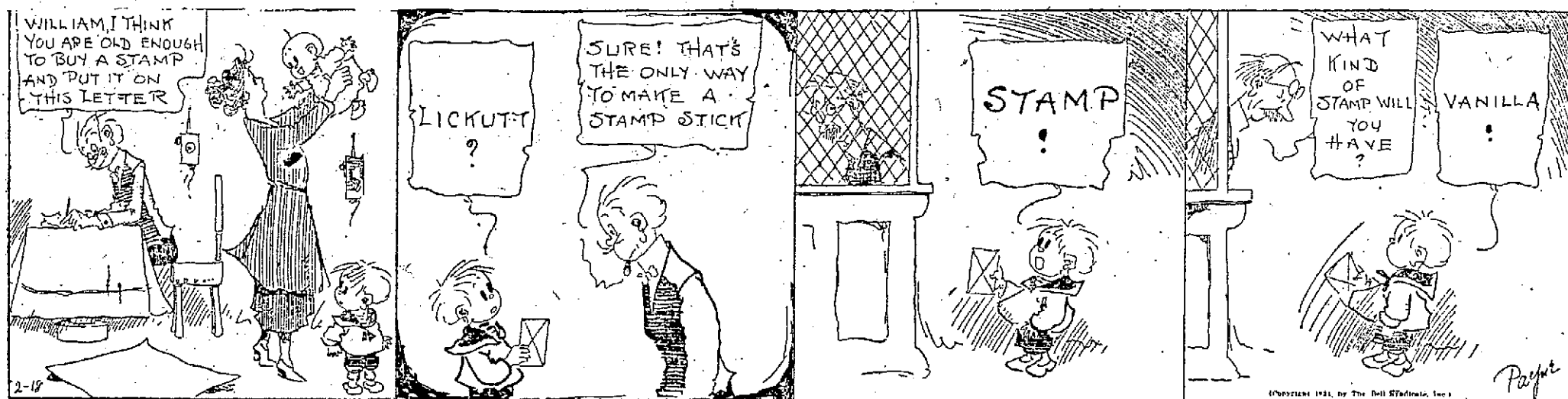
BY C. A. VOIGHT



SMATTER POP

The Stamp Won't Stick After William Licks It

BY C. M. PAYNE



P. H. S. PLAYS SCIOTOVILLE TONIGHT

Tonight in the high school gym the P. H. S. boys will clash with the Sciotoville boys five, this being the first time the teams have met this season. The Sciotoville team won the Scioto County High School Basketball League silver cup again this year and since triumphing over all opponents so far have invaded P. H. S. territory with the expectations of adding another pelt to their belt. Sciotoville has also played Ironton and Ashland and turned in victories, so it can be readily seen that P. H. S. will not have easy prey in tonight's battle. The game will start at 8 o'clock and admission will be 10 and 15c.

OPPORTUNITY KNOCKS AT MARTIN'S DOOR; WIN OVER BRENNAN WILL WIN HIM FAME

The teams will take the floor with all regulars in the lineup. P. H. S. to have Wallace and Schirrmann as forwards, Heer and Culver as guards and Cramer center.

BRENNAN WILL OUTWEIGH MARTIN

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Bob Martin, the sturdy West Virginian, who aspires to the boxing title held by Jack Dempsey, will meet Bill Brennan, of Chicago, in a 15 round decision bout in Madison Square Garden tonight. Martin has fought to more than eighty bouts since he returned from France carrying the A. B. F. and Inter-Allied heavy-weight championships. A great number of his bouts were won by knock-outs. Both men agreed to weigh in formally at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Martin announced his weight early today as 185 and Brennan's announced displacement is in the neighborhood of 190 pounds. Martin has an inch and a half advantage in height and an inch in reach over his opponent.

BIGELOW TO PLAY MANLY

Tomorrow night in the Manly church gym the Bigelow Specials will play the Manly Athletic Association five of which church in what is expected to be one of the fastest basketball games this year. The Specials have a long list of victories to their credit and expect to turn in another one tomorrow night. The game will start at 8 o'clock and admission will be 10 and 15c.

Gee, This Is Tough For Cubs

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—Two meals a day for all except the veteran pitchers will be the rule at the Chicago Cubs' training camp in California. It was announced today by Manager Johnny Evers. Breakfast by 9 o'clock, three hours practice, with perhaps more for the recruits and the evening meal will be the program, Evers said, except for Alexander, Vaughn and a few veterans, who will be called on to carry the brunt of the pitching burden right from the start of the season. Two weeks of such conditioning, Evers believes, will prevent the squad from reporting in poor shape because of oversight. The full squad will start practice March 7, at Tournament field.

Martin Vs. Brennan Tonight

Local fight fans are greatly interested in the Bill Brennan-Bob Martin fight in Madison Square Garden tonight. Brennan is the favorite over East but his local admirers are confident that he will make a splendid showing. Should Martin slip over an old harambee on Brennan he would be in line for a fight with Jack Dempsey. He has trained hard and is sure to give Brennan the fight of his life.



Bill Brennan in fighting pose and Bob Martin.

Roush Demands \$20,000

Groh, Roush, Kopf and Dambert of the Reds, have not signed their new contracts and are full-fledged members of the Holdout Club. It is said, that Roush has demanded \$20,000 for his season's work. And he is worth every cent of it.

Buckeyes Win 2 From Imps

In the Solby Girls' Bowling League last night the Buckeyes won two games from the Imps, the Imps taking the third with more than a 100 margin. Cline was the star pin bouncer of the contest, getting a total of 398. Cline's total was second highest of the evening. Doyle heading the Wildcats, getting a total of 401. The Wild Cats took all three of their games from the Fire Flies, the second game being won by a 3 pin margin. The scores:

Imps	Wildcats	Fire Flies	Buckeyes
Cline 108 147 142 398	Doyle 130 140 131 401	Doyle 130 140 131 401	Markham 87 113 118 318
Turner 82 51 75 208	A. K. Moore 83 81 92 257	Adams 74 91 114 279	
Blind 70 70 70 210	Adams 74 91 114 279	Adams 74 91 114 279	
Diener 74 56 124 254	Adams 74 91 114 279	Adams 74 91 114 279	
Clemmens 85 88 115 288	Adams 74 91 114 279	Adams 74 91 114 279	
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BOWLING

MASONIC LEAGUE	W	L	Pct.
Movies 6 0 1000			
Tramps 6 0 1000			
Drumhills 6 3 667			
Royals 6 3 667			
Waltons 5 4 556			
Players 5 4 556			
Bowers 3 2 600			
Wholesalers 4 5 444			
Aurora 3 6 333			
Bri Bants 2 7 222			
Mutuals 2 7 222			
Survivors 1 5 167			

Games This Week
Friday, Feb. 18—Tramps vs. Movies.
Play House alleys.
Friday, Feb. 18—Survivors vs. Bowers. Leamont alleys.

The Mutuals pulled themselves out of last place in the Masonic Bowling League at the Play House Alleys last night by taking two out of three games from the Brilliants, the team totals being 2119 and 2077. Patton of the winners was high man of the night, with a mark of 503.

The Cleaners outclassed the second place Wizards in the Aurora Bowling League last night and went into first place by virtue of three straight victories. The winners established a team total of 2279 while the Wizards were forced to be content with 1900.

Cross and Howland of the winning team were in fine shape and rolled totals of 531 and 513, respectively.

Wizards	Howland	Cross
Kellman 159 118 113 390		
Fridinger 145 172 129 446		
Whitlach 166 124 144 434		
Blind 120 120 120 360		
Blind 120 120 120 360		

Totals	710	654	629	1993
Cleaners				
Howland 133 192 188 513				
Bierley 148 146 161 455				
Flowers 165 146 109 420				
Cross 182 194 155 531				
Blind 120 120 120 360				

The N. & W. was in rare form in the Industrial Bowling League Wednesday night and hung up a team total of 2262 in taking three straight games from the Masonic Specials who also bowled good, getting a team total of 2358.

Thaupt was high man for the winners with a mark of 530 rolling scores of 201, 221, and 168. Russell totaled 529 and Thompson 501. Patton was high man for the losers with 504.

Industrial Bowling League	Thaupt	Russell	Thompson
Steel Plant 9 0 1000			
N. & W. 9 0 1000			
Drew 3 2 500			
Excelsior 5 7 417			
Times 3 6 333			
Vulcan Last 3 6 333			
Solway 1 5 167			
Masonic Specials 0 6 000			

South	Thaupt	Russell	Thompson
South 112 189 143 444			
Thaupt 145 184 168 497			
Thompson 173 153 172 500			
Thaupt 201 221 168 590			
Thaupt 210 151 168 529			

MASONIC SPECIALS	Thaupt	Russell	Thompson
Thaupt 157 156 142 455			
Thaupt 145 113 168 426			
Geo. Wilhelm 140 176 172 488			
Patton 184 185 135 504			

VELCAN LAST	Thaupt	Russell	Thompson
Thaupt 155 137 118 410			
A. Ross 163 144 140 447			
Thaupt 111 147 148 406			
Fisher 123 118 127 368			
Belcher 194 156 156 506			

Hard Games Ahead
ATHENS, O., Feb. 18.—Ohio University's basketball team is preparing for three hard games this week-end, which will probably decide whether she will be a worthy foe for Wittenberg March 11, and also whether she will remain an undefeated conference five.

Kenyon and Otterbein will play return games in Athens this week-end. Best by test—St. Nicholas flour—at 1000.

Circleville Five Here Saturday

Tomorrow, Saturday night in the high school gym there will be another basketball game with P. H. S. boys clashing with the Circleville high school quintet. The game will start at 8 o'clock.

Three "Umps" In Some Games

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—There will be nine members on the umpiring staff of the American league during the 1921 season, President J. B. Johnson announced today. The staff member will be Frank Wilson, who officiated in the Western league last season. Mr. Johnson said that it was his intention to have the entire staff work throughout the season, using three umpires in some of the games.

The other eight members of the staff are William Evans, Olie Chitt, Clarence Owens, William Dineen, Thomas Connelley, George Morlarly, George Hildebrand and Richard Nalt.

Volley Ball League

TEAM STANDING	W	L	Pct.
Solby Girls 32 4 889			
Solby Vets 27 0 818			
Excelsiors 25 11 694			
Wholesalers 21 12 636			
High School Faculty 16 11 595			
Beavers 14 14 500			
Unlabeled 18 15 545			
Wolves 9 15 375			
Bankers 12 24 333			
Doctors 8 22 262			
Alles 8 25 242			
Standard Supply 0 29 171			

For the second time since they formed and started at the bottom of the ladder, the Wolves won three on a straight, this time from the Standard Supply. The Wolves were in such a hurry to win their third game, that they left the floor before it was finished, feeling doubtful that this air was enough to defeat the Standard Supply. The umpire called them back and made them finish the game, but the Standard run-up ten points before the rattled Wolves could get across the few points they needed to win. Riggles and Clausen played snappy games for the Wolves, while Bryant and Connell were in the best form for the Standard.

BIGELOW RECREATIONAL AND E. L. NOTES

Tonight the women and girls have the event. Mr. Libby wishes a full attendance that a decision may be reached as to whether two groups are advisable. New games and stunts to night. We will discover who are well balanced. The Boys' Club has reached such proportions as to make a division necessary. Let each boy have in mind what other afternoon he can have besides Tuesday. A short meeting of the club is called for Sunday morning immediately after Sunday school in the gym, that the division may be arranged. Men or the church are invited to see the Bigelow Specials play the Manly Athletic Assn. at Manly church Saturday night.

Sciotoville Vs. New Boston

Saturday night, at 7:30, the Sciotoville high school girls' basketball team will clash with the New Boston girls' five. The S. H. S. girls are practicing faithfully this week and their coach, Miss Carl, is due much credit for her untiring effort in helping the team iron out its weak points, which were uncovered in the game at Ironton last week when the Ironton girls beat the S. H. S. girls by a close score. New Boston will find themselves up against a team that plays a different brand of basketball than they have been playing. Admission 25 cents.

Signs Umpire

CHICAGO, Feb. 18.—With the signing of Charles D. Hickey, President of the American Association, today began the task of lining up the staff of umpires for the 1921 season. Daily officiated in the Western Canada league last season and was formerly in the Western Central and International leagues.

Boxing Bill Is Killed

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., Feb. 18.—The Sherwood boxing bill, designed to permit 15 round boxing contests in Indiana, was killed in the lower house of the general assembly yesterday by a vote of 61 to 34. The bill was prepared by the American Legion legislative committee under instructions adopted at the legion's state convention.

Gallipolis Defeated

GALLIPOLIS, O., February 18.—In a rough and tumble game, the Red and Blue of Huntington high, well-lap Gallipolis high here last night by the score of 21 to 10. It was a regular indoor football game. Tackling, stiffarming, clipping and open field runs featured the battle. More than eighteen personal fouls were committed, and 11 of these were charged up against Gallipolis.

Strangler Lewis Defeats Pesek

KANSAS CITY, MO., February 18.—Ed (Strangler) Lewis, heavyweight wrestling champion, defeated John Pesek, in straight falls here last night. Lewis won the first fall in one hour and ten minutes and four seconds after having applied the headlock several times and the second with a headlock in 12 minutes. 32 seconds. Pesek apparently was unconscious for several minutes after the second fall. As Pesek lay on the floor the crowd, which had jeered Lewis frequently during the match, closed about the ring. Several policemen surrounded the champion and he left the arena with them after Pesek had revived.

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No. 15 Daily 8:00 P. M.
No. 24 Daily 10:00 P. M.

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No. 3 Daily 10:30 A. M.
No. 25 Daily 11:35 A. M.
No. 27 Daily 1:50 P. M.
No. 28 Daily 3:15 P. M.

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TAMING THE BLONDE

PERHAPS the song writer asked a more profound question than he knew when he demanded, in the syncopated cacophony of jazz, the question: "What Makes the Wild Women Wild?"

The subject has been deeply considered by the American Association of Optometrists, which met recently in its annual convention in Chicago. And the optometrists have found the answer, too. It is nothing more or less than the ultra-violet rays in the sunlight. These rays irritate the nervous system and especially the eye. The cure, therefore, is of course to wear tinted glasses. Very simple, and it helps the business of the optometrist.

Blondes are especially liable to the affliction. And everybody, from the professor to the tired business man in the front row, center aisle, of the girly show knows how wild a wicked blonde can be.

The blondes, according to Madison Grant, the noted ethnologist, are the remnants of the Nordics, once the dominant race of Europe. The Nordics' descendants, Grant says, are the highest racial type yet developed. He fears that the race is gradually being exterminated.

Let's get a law passed that every blue-eyed, fair-haired baby doll must wear smoked glasses, and get the druggists to give a pair free with every bottle of peroxide. Civilization must be saved. The blonde must be tamed.

JURIES AND JUSTICE

THE assembly has defeated the measure to increase the pay of regular jurors from two to three dollars.

Here we have an instance of a thing starting wrong and always continuing so.

When the state began summoning regular jury panels it fixed the per diem of members at a merely nominal fee, on the ground that they were called to perform a duty of citizenship and, therefore, any compensation granted them was a gratuity, or a bonus.

This is altogether a mistaken conception. True enough the juror performs a public duty, but that is no reason he should not be paid therefor on the basis of his time and the value of the service than another performing a different public service. Judges, sheriffs, clerks of courts and all officials perform public services and they are all fairly rewarded most generally liberally and not infrequently more than they could earn in any different occupation they might undertake.

But the poor juror, that is those summoned on the regular panels, are not fairly compensated, most frequently not so much as honestly. They are summoned from their ordinary pursuits, frequently have to travel quite a distance, and incur the expense of travel and board, which amounts to as much or more, than their per diem.

Perhaps, legislatures are averse to increasing jury pay because "jurying" has become a sort of profession, many men who have no occupation, hanging around the court rooms on the chance of being called to fill up a panel, but that isn't a sufficient cause for denying justice to the many.

NEITHER FOR NOR AGAINST

UNTIL three or four days ago it seemed all set for Andrew Mellon, of Pittsburgh, to become secretary of the treasury under Harding. Now the gentleman is relegated to the class of potentialities. Why, no definite information is vouchsafed, except on the supposition of of undue importance given to the vigorous protest of a New York paper, chiefly distinctive because of its violent Republican partisanship.

At the time Mellon appeared as a certainty, he was heralded as the second richest man in America, which means in the world. That, however, is not a fact as he is not so rich as William Rockefeller, brother of John D., who overtops them all by a billion or so. Mellon's riches no more qualify him, than they disqualify him. Neither does the circumstance that he is a banker affect his fitness one way or the other, though bankers have stood no more than fifty-fifty as heads of the treasury.

Personally Mellon seems to be of fine character and he has been the chief power in so many colossal enterprises that have attained marvelous success that he would seem quite specially trained to be the head of the biggest financial institution in the country, the United States treasury.

It is to be hoped Harding will measure him for just what he is and what he will do, rather than accept him because of vast wealth, or reject him because his politics are not acceptable to a rabid party organ. His administration has big tasks before it, none so big as in the treasury, and he should summon a big man to them, where he can, it being one dead certainty now that politics will compel him to choose some that under no circumstances could be placed in that category.

What has become of the old-fashioned individual who kept an honest-to-goodness diary?

The average person likes to have assurance that honesty is paying him in dollars and cents.

An efficiency expert is sometimes a person who knows more about running your business than his own.

Sermons of Henry Ward Beecher have been destroyed by fire. They warned that everything would be.

An actress says she can't live on \$50,000 a year. A lot of people who would like to, can't, either.

Inflated wages and deflated prices will not do team work very long, and that is what is worrying a lot of folks.

It is not easy to understand why a loafer picks on a busy man when he takes a notion to waste some more time.

When Is A Lobbyist

By Frederic J. Haskin

WASHINGTON, D. C., February 18.—With three bills introduced into congress to regulate his operations, and senators and representatives denouncing him on the floor of the house, the Washington lobbyist seems to be in for one more of those attacks upon his honor and his salary of which he has already weathered several.

All of these bills propose to control the lobbyist by making him register his name, his salary, his intentions and the name of the organization he represents.

Senator Keiyo seems to base his objection to lobbyists chiefly on the ground that they are a pest. He declares that he cannot get from the street car to his office without being buttonholed. Whether a registered lobbyist would be any less persistent about buttonholing, other legislators think, may be reasonably doubted.

The whole situation appears to be confused by a lack of exact information as to what a lobbyist is. When does a man who wants to talk to a congressman about a bill become a lobbyist? We have been hearing about "insidious lobbies" and "invisible governments" every few years for half a century, and yet there seems to be no general agreement as to the character of this sinister creature, the lobbyist. He seems to have made his first sensation back in the days of the Credit Mobilier when the lobbyists made their headquarters in the House committee on Appropriations. The first lobby investigation happened in those days, too, and one of the lobbyists made the sensational admission that he had received a large sum of money to be used in influencing congressmen, and that he had used it to build himself a large house, feeling that his influence would be increased more in that way than in any other.

A Bar to Corruption

The methods of lobbyists have become more subtle since those days, no doubt, even as their numbers have increased, but it may be said that they still favor this method of indirect influence rather than direct. Far from corrupting legislators by the use of money, the lobbyist usually stands heroically between the congressmen and the funds which are raised by various interests to influence legislation. Some sugar planters a few years ago raised a hundred thousand to keep a tariff on sugar. Where did it go? Well, to the lobbyists first. And there a good deal of it stuck. The lobbyist courageously hurled himself before the congressman and takes in his own breast the poisoned dart of the slush fund. He does all that he can to keep the legislator the clean-hearted, innocent, impeccable creature that he should be. He dispenses talk with a lavish hand. He directs it all toward the congressman and toward his employer. But he shows a fine sensitive conscience about the use of money, especially on others.

The methods and achievements of the lobbyist were given a good airing a few years ago when the lobbyist for a great organization of manufacturers was duly investigated by the lobby committee. It was shown indeed that this lobbyist had talked much and eloquently, that he had filed newspaper clippings, bills, resolutions, and the like. A reasonable suspicion was created that he had once given a congressman a fifteen-cent cigar. It was shown that every time a bill passed which might be considered favorable to his employer he sent them a telegram of congratulations in which he said: "We have won a great victory," or words to that effect.

What was hard to prove was that he had actually influenced the course of legislation by so much as a fly on the steering wheel influences the course of a car.

Of course, there may be lobbyists who exercise a sinister influence, but how are you going to find out which ones they are? How are you going to draw the line between the man who is legitimately asking for what he wants, and the one who is trying to be an invisible government or a helpful influence? This is the question that is puzzling some students of the lobby question.

Supreme Court Decisions

The difficulty of drawing this line seems to be indicated by the fact that it has never been successfully drawn. There is a whole bunch of decisions by the supreme court and other courts bearing on the question, but they seem to differ widely. Some of these decisions seem to imply that any man who seeks to influence the course of legislation is a lobbyist, and therefore doing something wrong. But a decision of the supreme court upholds the obvious right of the citizen to plead his cause, and to have it pleaded. "It is . . . the right of every citizen . . . to employ a paid agent to collect evidence and draft his bill," this decision says.

And it goes on to say this agent can explain the bill and urge its merits both before committees and to individual legislators.

In other words, it seems that you have a perfect right to go to Washington and to urge congress to place a tariff on hides, for instance. You can do this for yourself, or you can go as the paid agent of others who want a duty on hides.

But what if you had a congressman a cigar, or take him to lunch, or give him a tip on the stock market. At just what point do you cease to be a legitimate agent and become a lobbyist? Likewise, how is it possible to find out which agents or lobbyists are only logic and eloquence, and which ones also slip the congressmen quarts of liquor, invite them to parties, and tell them what to buy and when?

Some critics of the lobbyist say they fear not so much the danger of actual corruption which he brings, as that he offers the congressmen distorted facts and sophistical arguments. In other words, he presents the congressman an ex-parte view of the matter, and so adds to his confusion rather than to his enlightenment. But that, perhaps is inevitable, since he is paid to plead a special cause.

One student of the lobby evil, after considering all of these complications, reaches the radical conclusion that the only remedy for it is to elect legislators who are too honest to accept bribes, direct or indirect, and sufficiently intelligent to weigh evidence and judge arguments presented to them. If this were done, he points out, the lobbyist would become a harmless human asking for what he wants of those who have the power to give it.

If you proceed on the opposite assumption, he argues, that legislators are more or less irresponsible and stupid, then the logical thing would be to have them lead sheltered lives, appoint a committee to censor their callers and to present all necessary information to them in words of one syllable. This, he admits, is hardly practicable.

As long as the itching palm and the honeymoon are found in legislative halls, there are bound to be interested persons who will take advantage of both.

Curiosity and Study

Curiosity is a passion very favorable to the love of study, and a passion very susceptible of increase by cultivation. Sound travels so many feet in a second. Nothing more probable; but you do not care how light and sound travel. Very likely; but make yourself care; get up, shake yourself well, pretend to care; make believe to care, and very soon you will care. I am sure that a man ought to read as he would grasp a nettle; do it lightly and you are molested; grasp it with all your strength and you feel none of its asperities.

Enjoy the Sun and Prolong Life

Once upon a time people worshipped the sun. It would help all of us city folks, and country folks, if we acquired some of that respect for sunlight. Scientists may say this or that about the sun. They may agree or disagree with regard to certain theories of light, but the common everyday people are satisfied with the simple fact that sunlight is healing, that it breeds life, that it is the source of great beauty. People who live in the country do not appreciate sunlight, because they have so much of it. People who live in the city think the sun as a matter of course, a thing too obvious to think about, or else they forget it altogether.—Thrill Magazine.

Elbe Martin



Bootlegger the Mopps has the contracts for two banquets this week. The only thing ancient Rome had that we hadn't got was her chariot races.

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Questions AND Answers

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Q. What relation is the former Kaiser Wilhelm of Germany to Queen Victoria? J. G. M.

A. The former Emperor William of Germany is a grandson of the late Queen Victoria of England. His mother was Queen Victoria's oldest child.

Q. How long did the glacial period last, and how long ago was it? G. W. A.

A. The Pleistocene Period, or glacial invasion was the last important geological event before the present epoch that had a wide influence upon the physical appearance of the world. The duration of the period is estimated as being at least 500,000 years, and the ice retreated from the northern part of the United States as long as 25,000 years ago, while Sweden emerged from its ice cover about 12,000 years ago.

Q. Is alfalfa seed used for dyeing purposes? J. W. W.

A. According to E. D. Coburn of the Kansas Department of Agriculture it is a fallacy popular among farmers and country seed dealers that great quantities of alfalfa seed are exported to be used for dyeing purposes. There is no foundation in fact for such a belief, and the exportations made, like the importations, are for seedling purposes exclusively.

Q. What was the Darien Scheme? E. P.

A. This was a scheme projected by William Paterson in 1695, for the purpose of settling a colony on the isthmus of Darien and thereby controlling the trade between the Eastern and Western hemispheres.

Q. How did a parlor get to be called a "drawing room"? E. F. P.

A. The word "drawing room" is an abbreviation of the term "withdrawing room," meaning that room to which the women withdrew from the dining room after a formal dinner.

Q. Should a Civil War Veteran's pension be reckoned in with his other income for income tax purposes? W. D. D.

A. Civil War Pensions are not exempt from the Federal Income Tax.

Q. What people first used steel needles? G. S. T.

A. The Chinese are thought to have been the first to use needles of steel, and these implements gradually found their way westward until they were brought into Europe by the Moors.

Q. What is linsey woolsey? I. M. C.

A. Linsey woolsey is any kind of cloth made of wool mixed with linen or cotton.

Q. Where are the Burnham Beeches? R. C.

A. Burnham Beeches are the remains of an ancient forest in Buckinghamshire, England, 25 miles north-east of London, noted for its immense beech trees.

Q. What is the inscription on the Post Office in Washington, D. C.? A.

A. The inscription is "Messenger of Sympathy and Love—Servant of United Friends—Counselor of the Lonely—Bond of the Scattered Family—Enlarger of the Common Life—Carrier of News and Knowledge—Promotor of Mutual Acquaintance—Peacemaker and Good Will—Amen to Nations." There is no punctuation, and we have inserted a dash to indicate the end of each line.

Q. There are three brothers in our family. We all contribute equally in supporting our widowed mother. Can we claim any exemption in making out our income tax returns? W. K. Y.

A. Since you and your two brothers contribute to your mother's support, none is the chief support, and therefore, none may claim a \$2,000 exemption as the head of a family. The amount each of you contribute to her support cannot be deducted.

Q. What is a Verborgh? C. C.

A. This is a term used in the various forms of whist-bridge, bridge, etc., and is applied to a hand in which there is not a card higher than a nine.

Q. What is the feminine form of the name "David"? H. B.

A. The name "Vida" is the feminine equivalent of "David," which is derived from the Hebrew, meaning "beloved."

Q. Are women employed as wire less operators? M. S.

A. Women are employed as wireless operators, assigned to the land duty, but are not sent out on sea duty.

Q. How long is a copyright good for? P. S.

A. The Copyright Office says that the duration of a copyright is 28 years. This period may be extended for one more period of 28 years.

Q. How is the name of the Japanese Ambassador pronounced? C. L. A.

A. The Japanese Embassy says that Baron Shidehara's name is pronounced Shee Joo ha' ra.

Q. What place is known as The Land of Cakes? E. E. D.

A. This is a title applied to Scotland, because of the baps, scones, and oatmeal cakes which, with porridge, form the principal food of the country people. The ophit was prevalent in the 18th century.

Q. I note frequently when bills are being voted on, a Senator or Representative will say that he is paired with another, and consequently cannot vote. The pair, I observe, is usually with a man of the opposite party. Will you explain this procedure? D. J. N.

A. It is the duty of a member of the Senate or House of Representatives to attend as many of the sessions of Congress as possible and vote on measures presented. Sometimes, however, it is necessary for a member to be absent, and in this event he makes an arrangement with a member of the opposite party, by which the vote of neither shall be taken in this way striking a balance. This is called pairing.

Q. When does the astronomical day begin? K. W. L.

A. The astronomical day begins at noon, and the hours are numbered from one to twenty-four.

Q. What is the common name of the plant called Chionodoxa, virginica? F. R. T.

A. The common name for the Chionodoxa is the fringe tree, while the Chionodoxa virginica is known as the snow-flower.



A Squeeze Play

Our landlord lives in the top floor. The basement holds the janitor. These two conspire to pluck and clean all tenants nesting in between. The top and bottom squeeze to paste us less strategically placed. Yes! they keep fit as any fiddle. Playing both ends against the middle.—From Cartoons Magazine.

Misleading Start

"When a man begins a sentence with 'I understand'—"

"When then?"

"He usually proceeds with an effort to discuss something of which he has no understanding whatever."

Aint It The Truth?

"Funny about amateur fishermen, isn't it?"

"What's funny about them?"

"When boasting about their catch they never know when to draw the line."—Baltimore American.

Observant Paw

"Paw, what is an advertisement?"

"An advertisement is the picture of a pretty girl eating, wearing, holding or driving something that somebody wants to sell."—Nashville Tennessean.

Wise Jottings

A mean man seems to think that the end justifies the means.

All the world's a stage—and the pawnbroker is the advance agent.

When there is nothing left to fight for we may hope for universal peace.

Ever notice how things that are none of your business will interest you?

A married man sometimes orders cold tongue in a restaurant by way of variety.

The average girl finds it difficult to explain why she loves one man more than another.

The Evolution of the Red Ear

A red ear and a pretty dear. A kiss followed where they led, sir. Now it's a pretty dear and then a kiss. And the ear that's slapped is real, sir.

The Wrong Nut

"The whole thing lies in a nutshell." "Yes, but you've got hold of the wrong nutshell."—Cartoons Magazine.

Fertile Soil Carried to Ocean

The total annual rainfall upon all the land of the globe amounts to 29, 347 cubic miles, according to the United States geological survey, and of this quantity, 6,524 cubic miles drains off through rivers to the sea. A cubic mile of river water weighs about 4,200,000,000 tons and carries in solution an average of about 420,000 tons of foreign matter. In all about 2,735, 000,000 tons of solid matter is thus carried annually to the ocean, and a good deal of this is naturally the fertile soil washed from the fields.—Farm Life.

Case Not Entirely Hopeless

The proverbial "camel through needle's eye" difficulty in getting to heaven may disturb some rich men but others are encouraged by the thought that their "rovers have dragged them through some pretty small loopholes.—Boston Transcript.

New-York-Day-By-Day

BY O. O. McINTYRE

NEW YORK, Feb. 18.—Thoughts while strolling around New York. That woman is so thin the tops of her shoes look like ruffles. A cage of cuckoos waiting at a stage door. Wind-sor ties are quite the thing. There goes Louis Mann and his trick collar. Little after midnight dance clubs are all the rage. Three in one block. I'd like to nab that man in the party in that window and see what's inside.

Only a few stragglers on the park benches. Their eyes are always on all through the night. And I sit here with my book and fagot on the hearth. What is the meaning of it all? Life! Cumulative death! The smell of hot coffee. I'd like a sandwich but I always drag all the meat out the first bite. And then don't know where to throw the bread.

Whatever became of the old-fashioned coal bucket? Something has happened in front of the Hippodrome. Several policemen and traffic have stopped for an ambulance. A little boy all in white—except his neck. A hotel for South Americans. The group out in front look like melodrama villains. Silken mustaches. Jet black eyes. I wonder if they'd laugh in this deliriousness if I asked for a dime's worth of Saratoga chips.

Crooks are now taking inlines around with them to avert suspicion. A window trimmed in Florence Harding lavender. Adolph Lewinson, the banker. He looks austere. This is the place where they used to sell Swedish punch with hot water on the side. Now it is a graminium.

Uulbert Footner, the novelist. They say he drove a New York taxi at night to get material for a creek story. Clerical looking. An old stage promoter. He must learn every part. Everybody's dancing; the tiddle. It got its start in St. Louis. I'll toddle home now.

Gerald Breitigum, city editor of the Globe, made a trip out to a small town in the middle west recently. When he got off at the station he said to a native: "Where is the hotel?" "Which one?"

"Is there more than one?" asked Breitigum.

"I didn't know there was any," was the reply.

There is a New Yorker who recently decided to investigate his family tree. He had to visit a rural village in Maine to look up one of his ancestors. He went around to a certain house and found an old man sitting on the porch. He asked him if he remembered a certain relative. The old man snorted.

"Don't mention his name to me," said. "He was the cussedest fool that ever lived in these parts." He didn't have no more sense than to drive a six horse circus wagon team up a blind alley one day.

Under the new theatre hour (time regulations, Broadway has become a one way street for motor cars. Sixth Avenue is also a one way street. There is no congestion and theatre-goers who used to wait an hour for their cars now walk several blocks over side streets where they are in waiting. Conditions became so bad around 11:30 that the Fire Commission said that a blaze in the Times Square district might destroy an entire building before the fire apparatus could get to the scene.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES

—THE W. G. STUBBLE SERVICE, GALLIPOLIS, OHIO

The Bath Not Universal

Fifty years ago the bathroom was unknown outside the larger cities as a home convenience, necessity or luxury. Yet bathing has long been a habit in both ancient and modern times. A man who lived in the First century at Rome, and wrote fourteen books of epigrams, including the one about the shameless Chloë, who placed on the tombs of her seven husbands the inscription, "The work of Chloë," referred to a common preference of mankind in the following:

"You praise, in three hundred verses, Sabelus, the baths of Ponticus, who gives such excellent dinners. You wish to dine, Sabelus, not to bathe."

It would, perhaps, be an unhappy experience for many men to be set back fifty years when the family bathing was done in a washbasin in the kitchen, and two buckets of water were deemed sufficient. Yet that is the only resource for bathing the majority have today. It is no uncommon thing for men on the farm and in the villages to limit their bathing to head and feet during the winter. The discourteous thing about them is the sound which they enjoy as a rule.

Five plump cheeks and waxy complexion of children outside the cities, where they get pure air and plenty of sunshine, with little soap and water, make one just a little suspicious that in most places the absence of bathrooms is not noticed; and we have all heard of the row of cottages built by the generous man who equipped them with bathtubs for his tenants, and found them all full of coal on a winter visit to his property.

For a long time, we have been admitting to America and to citizenship men from foreign countries who are enemies of our institutions, who are not worthy of the ballot, who are vicious, who meet our fundamental requirement of good citizenship. It is time to stop it. Any citizen who knows what would happen to his civilization if it admitted unfit men, it is time now for him to realize, in common with all good citizens, that the same thing will happen to his country, his government, if access is given to the motley army of enemies to authority and our established national principles.

Already this malign influence has grown to formidable strength in many cities, and has reached proportions that have inspired many newspapers to ponder to it and spread its poisonous doctrines of distrust, contempt for authority, and disorder. We should admit to our national fraternity of voters only those who measure fully up to our standards of industry, intelligence and sound character.

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